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MORE THAN HUNDRED LIVES LOST IN MINES

**Seventy-Four Dead in Colliery in Pennsylvania—
Sixty Convicts Employed in Alabama Mine
Believed to Have Been Killed**

Littleton, Ala., April 8.—It is feared that about sixty convicts have been killed by a mysterious explosion that occurred in the Banner coal mines here this morning.

One hundred and seventy-five miners were in the underground workings when the explosion occurred.

The explosion occurred far underground. Most of the miners are Americans. At 11:35 this morning forty men had been taken out of the mine. A number of them were more or less seriously injured.

Rescuers are going down into the mines as rapidly as possible. The explosion came after the night crew was out and before the day crew of free miners had entered the mine.

There were 165 convicts and about ten free miners in the works at the time of the explosion.

The greatest damage has been done to a new shaft known as No. 2. The fan in this shaft was destroyed, making the rescue work more difficult.

It is believed that at least half of the remaining men entombed are dead. Thirty whites are in the mine.

The Banner mines are in the western part of Jefferson county. They are owned by the Pratt Consolidated Coal company, with offices at Birmingham. Convicts hired from the various counties in the state are employed in the mines.

SEVENTY-FOUR PERISH IN PENNSYLVANIA MINE

Scranton, Pa., April 8.—Mine officials in charge of the searching parties gave as their opinion this afternoon that the number of dead as the result of the fire in the Hancock mine, at Troop yesterday, probably will reach seventy-four.

Seventy-three bodies had been brought to the surface at 12:30 p. m. The number of dead exceeds that of any mine disaster in the anthracite coal regions in recent years.

The origin of the fire has not yet been ascertained, but a rigid investigation is being conducted by the state mine officials.

The fire, which started in one of the hoisting engine rooms in the China vein 700 feet beneath the surface, the lowest working in the mine, did not do so much damage as had been believed. The fire did not reach the entombed men and the condition of their bodies shows that death was due to suffocation from smoke or asphyxiation from the accumulated gas.

Heroism of Rescuer.

Forty-four of the dead have been identified. Many of the victims were foreigners and known only by number or nick-name.

Among the list of victims is Joseph E. Evans, of West Scranton, who was foreman of the United States rescue car, which was sent to the mine from Wilkesbarre. He was 25 years old.

Dr. J. A. Holmes, director of the United States bureau of mining, who

arrived here to-day accompanied by H. D. Roberts, of the instructing department, paid a high tribute to the heroism of Evans, who was leading a rescue party into the smoke laden mine filled with black damp. It was the first time the rescue system was brought into action in the anthracite coal region. It has not yet been definitely established how Evans came to his death. One theory is that in adjusting his helmet after bumping it against the low roof of the smoke-filled gangway, he released it slightly from his head and in so doing inhaled black damp. Another theory advanced by Dr. Holmes is that he may have died from dioxido poisoning. He said the air inhaled in the helmet is generated from the oxygen and breathed again. The wearer of the helmet, Dr. Holmes said, must exert himself, might meet the fate that befell Evans, if there is much gas in the mine.

Recovering Bodies of Victims.

All through the night the rescue gangs kept at their task of picking up the dead who lay strewn along the farthest parts of the tunnel of the Hancock colliery, from off which were the chambers and headings on which they had entered for their day's toil.

At 4 o'clock to-day there was another garnering of 21 bodies, and these were hoisted to the surface and placed in the temporary morgue erected by the company. As fast as identification was made the body passed out into one of a score of dead wagons which undertakers from all parts of the Lackawanna Valley had lined up. The eagerness with which these were grabbed by the undertakers and their employees called forth indignation from the onlookers, some yelling "body snatchers" at the as their ambulances were hurried away.

Brave Deeds.

Stories of brave deeds done by rescuers are being told to-day by miners who had been warned of the fire in time to make their escape. It is related that Councilman Perdy, Mine Foreman Knight and Fire Boss Daves perished as a result of their going into the depths of the mine to warn others of their danger. They were overcome before they could return to safety.

There is a difference of opinion among mine workers as to whether the dead men could have been saved. Some think that if all the men in the underground had been immediately notified there would have been a fire in the mine all could have gotten out safely. Others believe it was impossible for any man or boy in the blind gangway to have made his escape as the black damp quickly penetrated every part of the "China" vein beyond the fire zone.

It gets name from the fact that it is the lowest vein in the mine and therefore nearest to China.

The bodies of the dead showed that all had made hard struggle for life, burying their faces deep in the culm by wrapping their coats about their heads in an effort to ward off the poisonous air.

The disaster was the worst in the history of the hard coal fields in this section, exceeding the number of dead in the Twin Shift disaster near here some years ago when 51 men and boys lost their lives by fire damp.

RUSH OF EMIGRANTS.

(Special to the Times.)

Saskatoon, April 8.—The unprecedented rush of emigrants to the west is taxing the Grand Trunk Pacific and Canadian Northern railways here to the utmost, every day seeing new records established in passenger and baggage transportation. Extra coaches are put on nearly every train, while baggage cars had to be supplemented by box cars to accommodate traffic.

COUNCIL OF COMMERCE.

(Special to the Times.)

London, April 8.—Lord Desbrough, presiding at the annual meeting of the London Chamber of Commerce, said that within three months they would be establishing a British Imperial Council of Commerce. He regretted the Overseas Dominions had not been consulted regarding the declaration of London and their not having a place in the proposed international prize court, but that might be remedied.

PREPARING TO ATTACK REBELS

MEXICAN TROOPS TO MOVE AGAINST MEXICALI

Battle Reported at Velardena Where Federals Are Out-numbered by Insurgents

Mexicali, April 8.—Five hundred federal soldiers are encamped at Little's ranch, five miles to the southwest. Governor Vega, who is in command, says he will take time to reconnoiter, but will probably attack Mexicali during the day.

Vega also says he had killed three insurgents since.

With the mules stolen yesterday from American ranches in Lower California, laden with extra rifles, ammunition and supplies, Stanley Williams, the American insurgent leader, left Mexicali shortly before 10 o'clock to-day, headed straight for the federal forces of Col. Mayot, which are besieging the city. It was apparently the intention of Williams to bury his little force of 55 men, all Americans, against the whole battalion of federals under Mayot. The latter with characteristic deliberation, is near Packard station, five miles southeast, waiting until "tomorrow" before launching his assault on Mexicali.

Williams blew up a bridge yesterday at Packard, in order to delay the advance of the National troops. It is expected that the fighting will occur at this place. It is to be done, Williams, who is a deserting quartermaster sergeant from the United States army and dares not cross the border.

The force which he heads is well armed. Most of them are mere youths, Williams' marching out of Mexicali to-day was a complete surprise to every one in the besieged town, including even Commander-in-Chief Salinas of the garrison. The latter had promised Captain Griffiths of the United States troops in Calexico, that he would force Williams to return property taken from the ranchers in the raid of yesterday.

Advices said that scouts had reported the federals at Packard 300 strong, lying on their arms awaiting orders to assault Mexicali to-morrow. At least ten men of the Williams force deserted during the night.

The departure of Williams' detachment again reduced the rebel garrison in Mexicali to less than fifty men.

Battle in Progress.

El Paso, Texas, April 8.—The severest battle yet fought in the state of Durango was in progress at Velardena, Tuesday, when mail advices were sent from Torreon. The battle had been in progress two days, 200 federals occupying the town and seven hundred insurgents surrounding the place. Fifteen or sixteen rebels had been killed and five federals were (Concluded on page 17.)

TWO ROBBERS WOUNDED.

Shot While Trying to Enter Bank—Carried Away by Their Companions.

Aurora, Mo., April 8.—Two robbers who attempted to force an entrance to the Miners' and Farmers' Bank, of this city, were shot and seriously wounded by Frank Ruppel, a butcher, who discovered the men at work.

Ruppel was asleep in his home across the street from the bank, when he heard a noise, and raising the window, saw four masked men trying to pry open a front door of the bank. Ruppel shot at them five times. Two of the men fell, but their companions gathered them up and escaped before Ruppel could arouse the citizens.

SUNDAY BASEBALL.

Saratoga, N. Y., April 8.—That the Sullivan Sunday baseball law is to be railroaded through the New York state legislature, and that the professional ball interests have raised \$250,000 to enact the bill are charges made before the Troy conference by H. R. Miller, of the New York civic league.

NEW BRANCH RAILWAY.

Winnipeg, April 8.—A gang of two hundred men left here last night to lay steel on the Canadian Northern railway Vegreville-Calgary branch.

COUNCIL TO RUSH ALL CIVIC WORK

TRY TO OVERCOME THE DIFFICULTIES OF DELAY

Aldermen May Appeal to Supreme Court Judge for Ruling on Veto Power

Mayor Morley and all his colleagues elected to serve the city for the present year in January last, having been duly re-installed in office as a result of yesterday's election, the first regular meeting of the council will be held on Monday evening next, when it is anticipated that consideration will at once be given to those important measures in respect to civic undertakings which have been held in abeyance as a result of the impasse which was broken yesterday.

The paving programme for the year will at once be taken up and tenders called for the work to be done on a large number of streets; Ald. Humber will press forward his scheme for the creation of a large number of additional parks in various parts of the city; the Sooko Lake scheme will be grappled with anew, and the report of C. H. Topp, who has made preliminary surveys, will be considered. Arrangements will probably be made for the submission to the ratepayers of bylaws providing loans for the further extension of the sewerage system and the electric lighting plant, and altogether every effort will be made to advance with all speed those large works of improvement which were decided upon earlier in the year.

It was hinted on the streets this morning that a number of the aldermen will at an early date apply to a Supreme court judge for a ruling on a stated case to define just what are the powers of a majority of the members of the board when their opinion is in conflict with that of the presiding officer, and how far he may exercise his power of veto and render nugatory any policy favored by a majority of the board. Armed with this ruling from a Supreme court judge the aldermen would be in a position to act with full knowledge of what their exact powers are.

It has been shown that a majority of the members of the board are opposed to many of the views held by Mayor Morley on various points of his policy; and the outcome of an appeal by the aldermen to the Supreme court in respect to various clauses of the Act which define the respective prerogatives of the mayor and the aldermen would be awaited with great interest.

After the mayor and council had been sworn in to-day several important notices of motion were posted on the bulletin board at the city hall. Ald. W. F. Fullerton gives notice that he will move at Monday evening's meeting of the city council that local improvement works on Richardson, Cook and Vancouver streets be proceeded with at once. This consists of paving, sidewalks and boulevards.

The same alderman will present a resolution providing for the erection of two fire halls, the appropriations for which have already been made.

Mayor Morley will present a resolution providing for the calling for tenders for some 600,000 yards of asphalt paving.

TO SEARCH FOR MISSING PATROL

Another Party Starts Out in Effort to Locate Overdue Party of Police

(Special to the Times.)

Edmonton, April 8.—Some fears are felt here for the safety of a mounted police patrol that left Herschel Island last December and has not been seen or heard from since. The party consisted of Inspector Fitzgerald and Constables Carter, Martin and Taylor. A search party was sent out from Dawson City to try to locate the missing men, but it returned to report failure, and now another has started out.

It is felt that the party may have been buried in a snowdrift or else have fallen through thin ice, which forms over the springs in the northland during the winter.

The police here state that the party is one month overdue, but declare that all the members of the party are so accustomed to the northern trails that they do not fear for their ultimate safety.

OVER-MILLION FOR LIBRARY.

New York, April 8.—The private library of the late E. Dwight Church, a Brooklyn manufacturer, which was sold yesterday to a New York dealer for a price said to exceed \$1,250,000, is to become the property of Henry Edward Huntington, Los Angeles, a nephew of the late Collis P. Huntington. The purchase was made in Mr. Huntington's behalf, according to an announcement to-day.

The collection, containing only about 4,000 volumes, is said in many ways the best of its kind in the world.

TRAMPLED TO DEATH.

Settler Falls Under Hoofs of Team Attached to Prairie Schooner.

Ordway, Colo., April 8.—Within sight of the new home to which he was bringing his wife and several children from Kansas City in a prairie schooner, John New was killed when he fell from his wagon and was trampled by the horses. Eager to reach his new ranch of which his family had just had their first glimpse, New leaned forward to prod the lagging horses with his foot and fell under the hoofs of his team.

WINNIPEG MILK SUPPLY.

(Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, April 8.—That the milk supply from the dairies around Winnipeg is for the most part unfit for consumption, unless pasteurized, and that the greater part of these herds should be shot, is the conclusion Dr. Douglas, city health officer, arrives at from reports of a number of recent inspections.

CHURCHILL SPEAKS ON RECIPROCITY

SITUATION VINDICATION OF FREE TRADE POLICY

No Friction Caused by Canada's Trade Agreement With United States

(Special to the Times.)

London, April 8.—Winston Churchill, speaking at Queen's Hall, asked what could be more remarkable as the current city. By-elections were invariably dangerous, and it was only due to the hard work of his supporters that he had been enabled to win. His opponents had for some time been expressing a wish for a straight fight with only two candidates in the field. Well, they had got that straight fight, and he hoped they would like their medicine and that it would do them good. (Cheers.)

Continuing, his worship said he believed it had been a straight fight. He was not going to say anything about the other side, but he wished he had been employed against him. There was, however, one outstanding fact, patent to all, and that was that all the turmoil incidental to a special election had been absolutely unnecessary. (Hear, hear.) It had been a case of personal spite against him, to be regretted in every way and involving an unnecessary waste of money. He felt sure the attempt would never be repeated. But as long as the good people who had lent him such generous support rested content there was still danger from the employment of legal technicalities. It was an outrageous thing that a number of the best citizens had been disfranchised.

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Continuing, the mayor said it was not desirable to look at the matter from a political point of view. Let the people of Victoria unite for once and remember that they could not mix up politics in civic affairs. But during the day he had been amazed at the extent of the outrage which had been perpetrated against many of the oldest and best citizens. He would cite just one case in point. C. Mackay Smith, a brother of the late Amor de Cosmos, a gentleman

MAYOR MORLEY ONCE AGAIN VICTORIOUS

By Handsome Majority Chief Magistrate Triumphs Over His Opponent, A. M. Bannerman—Old Aldermanic Board Has Been Re-Elected

Evidencing a strength which surprised even the most sanguine of his supporters, Alfred J. Morley was victorious over his opponent, A. M. Bannerman, at yesterday's special civic elections by the handsome majority of 599—the figures being: Morley, 2,134; Bannerman, 1,454.

All the members of the late aldermanic board were re-elected, the contest in Ward 5 being particularly interesting owing to the fact that Alexander Peden and John Dilworth polled exactly the same number of votes—408.

It being by the casting vote of the returning officer that the former was declared elected.

It was with ringing cheers that a hundred or more of Mayor Morley's supporters who had awaited the result of the counting of the ballots rushed into the police court chamber when, a few minutes after 9 o'clock, the official announcement was made. Then ensued an exciting scene of handshaking, the time for several minutes being pulled about by those eager to offer him congratulations.

When order had been restored and the state of the polls declared by Wm. W. Northcott, returning officer, there were several short speeches. The mayor-elect began by saying that his heart was full of gratitude for the expression of the public affairs of the city. By-elections were invariably dangerous, and it was only due to the hard work of his supporters that he had been enabled to win. His opponents had for some time been expressing a wish for a straight fight with only two candidates in the field. Well, they had got that straight fight, and he hoped they would like their medicine and that it would do them good. (Cheers.)

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80 years of age and with large property interests, had come and with tears in his eyes had said: "This is the first time after a forty-year residence in Victoria that I find myself deprived of my right to vote."

"Will you stand for this sort of thing?" shouted the mayor, and there were thunderous cries of "No."

His worship drew attention to the case of Hon. J. E. Holmeken, another pioneer resident, who, although he had property in all parts of the city, found that his name was not on the list. He did not care to know for which candidate these men were going to vote, but it was surely an outrage. Why should he have been deprived of their vote?

Let the people of Victoria now put aside their bickerings and get down to a "people's government." (Applause.) Victoria in everything else was perfect. The people had shown that they wanted straight rule, and they ought to get it. (Renewed applause.) He appreciated the very great honor that had been conferred upon him, and he hoped he would be enabled to make a fitting return. The Voters' League had been mainly responsible for his victory, even the ladies turning out with their automobiles and working in the most strenuous fashion. The league was not working for the success of individuals, but for principles. He had no strings on the league, nor had it any on him.

The mayor next paid a tribute to the painstaking efforts of the returning officer, Mr. Northcott, whose arrangements for the recording of the vote were of the best. He was certainly a Briton. (Cheers.) They all appreciated his efforts, as they recognized that his duties in connection with a special election at a time when he was very busy in his office must have been very onerous. He proposed three cheers for Mr. Northcott, and these, with a tiger, were given with a will.

A voice—Mr. Northcott would never have prepared a rotten list like this one (the speaker holding a copy of the voters' list in his hand).

The mayor—We must keep in touch with this matter of the proper preparation of the voters' lists and see that before the next election all mistakes and blunders have been rectified.

Brief speeches were then made by John Meston, Aldermen-elect W. F. Fullerton, Gleason and Peden, and John Dilworth, and the proceedings terminated with the singing of the National Anthem.

Mr. Dilworth having demanded a recount in Ward Five, Mr. Northcott and his assistants then proceeded to the committee room upstairs and performed that task. On the first count the figures had stood: W. H. Langley, 422; Alexander Peden, 412, and John Dilworth, 411. The latter called upon the returning officer to declare valid two votes cast by persons whose right to vote had, he claimed, been usurped by others.

In cases where a person entitled to vote finds someone else has voted in his stead, the act provides that such ballots shall be sealed in an envelope with the name of the elector and the number of his name on the list placed upon the envelope, but such votes shall not be counted by the returning officer. (Concluded on page 11.)

NURSES RESCUE WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Inmates of Salvation Army Home Have Narrow Escape When Building Burns

Spokane, Wash., April 8.—Groping blindly through suffocating smoke amid crackling flames, four nurses at the Salvation Army Rescue Home, under the leadership of Captain Bertha Smith, rescued fifteen helpless children and six women from the maternity ward at the home when the institution burned yesterday.

The fire, which is believed to have started from defective wiring, broke out at an hour when most of the smaller inmates of the home were still in their beds, and it was due only to heroic work of the nurses that several lives were not lost. Most of those in the institution were at breakfast when the flames broke out, the children not yet being up. The women in the breakfast room easily made their escape, but the children and half a dozen women in the maternity ward were left in the building. Each of the brave women made several trips into the burning building, which blazed like tinder, bringing out the youngsters until all were saved. Then they dashed back into the flames and rescued the bed-ridden women.

MOTHER AND SIX CHILDREN INJURED

Fatally Burned by Explosion of Kerosene Stove—One of Victims Succumb

Chicago, Ill., April 8.—By an explosion of a kerosene stove six children and their mother, Mrs. Luddie Podoll, were fatally burned last night at Clyde, a suburb of Chicago. One of the victims, a three-year-old boy, died to-day. All the others suffered fearful injuries from flaming oil. The explosion occurred just as the mother had assembled the children preparatory to putting them to bed.

The house was so quickly destroyed that it was with difficulty that neighbors were able to drag out the mother and children.

ASPHALT FROM NORTH.

Edmonton, April 8.—J. K. Cornwall, M.P.P., the pioneer of the Northland, has obtained permission to pave part of one of Edmonton's streets with asphalt which he will freight up the Athabasca river, from Fort McMurray, and pack in by Indians. The experiment is to demonstrate the asphalt resources of the north, which Mr. Cornwall says will supply all Canada's needs forever.

PLAGUE AND SMALLPOX.

Amoy, China, April 8.—Eighteen deaths from bubonic plague and five deaths from smallpox were reported here during the two weeks ending yesterday.

FOREIGN CONSULS TO MEET AT TACOMA

Important Shipping Matters Will Be Considered at Conference in June

Tacoma, Wash., April 8.—Forty foreign consuls and foreign consul agents will attend the meeting to be held in Tacoma in June for which arrangements are now under way. British Vice-Consul Agassiz, who is chairman of the committee on arrangements, said to-day that the meeting would probably be the largest ever held and the session will last two days.

The meeting will discuss matters of importance to shipping. The reception and entertainment committees are making elaborate plans, which include a luncheon, a banquet, auto rides and an excursion on the Sound. Invitations this year will be extended to the consuls in British Columbia, including two American consular agents. The consular meetings were started two years ago when the first was held in Tacoma. In Tacoma foreign consuls are: British Vice-Consul Agassiz, Norwegian Vice-Consul Dirk Blaauw, German Vice-Consul Otto Richter, Chilean Vice-Consul J. T. Steeb, Greek Vice-Consul Hans Heider, Mexican Vice-Consul E. R. Rodriguez, and Mexican Vice-Consul A. F. Haines.

BLAZE AT GODERICH.

Goderich, Ont., April 8.—Fire caused \$50,000 loss to the Kensington Furniture Co. Loss is covered by insurance.

WINNIPEG FIRE LOSSES.

Winnipeg, April 8.—Fire losses in Winnipeg during March reached \$24,000, mainly from defective wiring.

C. D. SHELDON IS BACK IN MONTREAL

Prisoner Maintains His Cheerfulness Throughout Journey From Pittsburg

Montreal, April 8.—C. D. Sheldon is back in Montreal. He arrived on the New York Central train this morning, shortly after ten o'clock, in charge of Chief K. F. McCaskill and Detective Johns, of the Pittsburg police. The detectives made a quick connection at Buffalo, and engaged a special parlor car so that no special attention would be drawn to them.

Sheldon showed no mark of the prisoner. He simply made one of the party. Sheldon showed no apparent concern respecting his impending trial, and he maintained his cheerfulness throughout the whole journey. Once during a conversation upon court proceedings he said he wondered if any of his friends in Montreal would come forward and stand as bail for him.

At the station, in spite of the short notice of his arrival, there were a couple of dozen spectators, in addition to the station habitues.

Sheldon appeared before Judge Hain this morning, pleaded not guilty and was remanded for eight days, bail being refused.

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Church Services

ANGELICAN.

St. Saviour's, Victoria West. Rector, Rev. R. Connell. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer and litany, 11 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.; evening prayer, 7 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "The Emptying of Christ a Pattern for Men"; evening, "The Jew's Place in the World Drama."

Christ Church Cathedral, Burdette avenue. Holy communion at 8 a. m.; matins, litany and sermon at 11 a. m.; evening service at 7:30 p. m.; evening and sermon at 7 p. m. Order of services follows:

Matins.
Organ-Postlude.....Margi
Venite and Psalms-As set.....Barnby
Benedictus.....Barnby
Benedictus.....Barnby
Litany.....Barnby
Hymns.....132, 133 and 134

Evening.
Organ-The Palms.....Faure
Magnificat.....Barnby
Nunc Dimittis.....Fulton
Hymns.....132 and 133
Offertory Anthem-King Ever Glorious.....Slater

Hymns.....132, 133 and 134
Amen.....Greek
Organ-Postlude.....Smart

St. James', corner of Quebec and St. John streets. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy communion at 8 a. m.; matins, litany and sermon at 11 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.; evening song and sermon at 7 p. m. The music follows:

Morning.
Organ Voluntary.....Cathedral Psalter
Venite and Psalms.....Cathedral Psalter
Benedictus.....Lundgren
Benedictus.....Lundgren
Hymns.....94, 99 and 98
Organ Voluntary.....

Evening.
Organ Voluntary.....Cathedral Psalter
Psalms.....Cathedral Psalter
Cantata.....Woodward
Deus Misereatur.....Lytton
Hymns.....96, 99 and 200
Litany of the Passion.....467
Vesper Hymn.....Cathedral
Organ Voluntary.....

St. John's, corner of Douglas and Piggard streets. Preacher, morning, Rev. A. J. S. Ard. The music follows:

Matins.
Organ-Prelude.....Savage
Venite.....Cathedral Psalter
Benedictus.....Burnett
Jubilate.....Goodson
Hymn.....58
Litany-As set.....134 and 108
Hymns.....134 and 108
Organ-Postlude.....

Evening.
Organ-Prelude.....Savage
Psalms for 9th Morning, Cathedral Psalter
Benedictus.....Burnett
Jubilate.....Goodson
Hymn.....58
Litany-As set.....134 and 108
Hymns.....134 and 108
Organ-Postlude.....

Evening.
Organ-Prelude.....Savage
Psalms for 9th Evening, Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat.....Macfarren
Nunc Dimittis.....Fulton
The Crucifixion.....Burnett
Amen.....Burnett
Organ-Postlude.....Burnett

St. Barnabas', corner of Cook street and Caledonia avenue. There will be a celebration of the holy eucharist at 8 a. m., choral matins and litany at 11 a. m., choral evensong at 7 p. m. The preacher for the day will be Rev. J. W. Filton, rector of Saanich. Morning subject, "A Man of Sorrows"; evening, "Prayer of Gethsemane." All seats are free and unappropriated. The musical arrangements are as follows:

Morning.
Organ-He Was crucified.....Handel
Venite and alms.....Cathedral Psalter
Benedictus.....Slater
Benedictus.....Slater
Hymns.....132, 133 and 134
Offertory Anthem.....Pitzgerald
Organ-The Palms.....Faure

Evening.
Organ-The alms.....Faure
Psalms.....Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat.....Macfarren
Nunc Dimittis.....Fulton
Hymns.....132, 133 and 134
Offertory Anthem.....Pitzgerald
Psalms.....Pitzgerald
Organ-Postlude.....Haydn

REFORMED EPISCOPAL.
Church of Our Lord, corner of Humboldt and Blanchard streets. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sermons by Rev. T. W. Gladstone. Morning subject, "The Elder Son He Was Angry and Would Not Come In"; evening, "What Christ Gave-God's Word." Services during the week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at 2:30 p. m.; Thursday evening at 8 p. m. the remembrance of the institution of the Lord's Supper, "The Same Night He Was Betrayed"; Good Friday, morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock. The music follows:

Morning.
Organ-Andante.....G. H. Howard
Venite-As set.....Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum-XI.....Mercer
Benedictus-X.....Mercer
Hymns.....130, 131, 132, Tunc 4
Organ-Postlude.....Vogler

Evening.
Organ-Andante.....W. G. Wood
Hymn.....138
Psalms-As set.....Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat-II.....Mercer
Nunc Dimittis-VI.....Mercer
Hymns.....134, 135 and 206
Doxology.....J. W. Elliott
Organ-March.....J. W. Elliott

PRESBYTERIAN.
First, corner of Blanchard street and Pandora avenue. Rev. Dr. Campbell, minister. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Adult Bible class after the forenoon service. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening. On Mon-

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day the Young People's Guild and the Bible class will entertain the congregation to a social evening, when a good programme will be rendered, refreshments served and an enjoyable time assured. Strangers made welcome to all the meetings.

St. Andrew's, corner of Douglas and Broughton streets. Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, B. A., will occupy the pulpit. Morning subject, "The Price of Ideals"; evening subject, "The Man Who Quits." Strangers heartily welcome. The musical selections are as follows:

Morning.
Organ-Paques Elancas.....Mally
Psalm.....16
Anthem-His Only Begotten Son, Belcher
Hymns.....23, 29 and 242
Organ-Marche Solennelle.....Gounod

Evening.
Organ-Meditation Pastorale.....Lacey
Psalm.....138
Anthem-Angels of Jesus.....Nichol
Soprano Solo and Oblato, Mrs. Codd.
Hymns.....132 and 235
Solo-The Palms.....Faure
Alfred A. Codd.

Organ-Behold the Lamb of God, Handel

St. Columba, Hulton street, Oak Bay. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the morning service. Sunday school and Bible class meets at 2:45 p. m. The pastor, Rev. R. A. McConnell, will preach again at the evening service.

St. Paul's, Victoria West. Pastor, Rev. D. MacRae. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 8:15 p. m. A hearty welcome for all.

Knox, Stanley avenue. Sabbath services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. A. E. Roberts will conduct both services.

CONGREGATIONAL.

First, corner of Pandora avenue and Blanchard streets. Divine worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor, Rev. Hermon A. Carson, B. A., will conduct the services and preach. Subject of the morning sermon, "An Epoch-Making Event." Theme of evening sermon, "A Young Man's Service in the Morning." Wherein Lies the Strength of Young Men? At 2:30 p. m. in the church auditorium there will be a pleasant Sunday afternoon session of the school to which the public is invited. Good singing and good speakers. Monday, at 8 p. m. Y. P. S. of W. W. S., when P. J. Pollard will deliver an address on theme, "The Sins of the Christian Church." Tuesday at 7 p. m. m. Girl Guides. Tuesday, at 8 p. m. devotional meeting of with a social club. Wednesday, at 8 p. m. business meeting of the Sunday school teachers and officers and executives of the adult Bible classes. Wednesday at 7 p. m. troop 7, Boy Scouts. Thursday, at 7 p. m. prayer meetings. Monday, at 8 p. m. choir practice. At the morning service E. R. Turner will sing a solo, anthem in the evening by the choir, with E. Locke as soloist. "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes," by J. C. Whitfield. N. Collins, soprano. Friends and visitors are cordially welcomed here.

METHODIST.
Metropolitan, corner of Pandora avenue and Quadra street. Pastor, Rev. T. E. Holling. B. A. Services as follows: 10 a. m., class meetings; 11 a. m., public worship. The pastor will preach on the subject, "Popularizing Religion," a sermon appropriate for Palm Sunday; 2:30 p. m., Metropolitan Sunday school; 2:45 p. m., Belmont avenue Sunday school; 7:30 p. m., public worship, the pastor preaching. Subject, "The Story of a Sinful Woman's Love." Music as follows:

Morning.
Anthem-Thou, O Lord, Art Our Father.....Barnby
Evening.
Anthem-Still, Still With Thee, Forrester
Solo-The Palms.....Faure
J. O. Dunford.

A hearty welcome for all. Strangers and visitors especially invited.

Centennial, Gorge road. Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The pastor, Rev. A. Henderson, will preach both morning and evening. Sunday school and adult Bible classes at 2:30 p. m. Prayer

meeting, Thursday evening from 8 to 9 o'clock. The funeral services of the late Alexander McKinney will be held in the chapel of the B. C. Funeral Home, 1916 Government street, on Sunday at 2:30 p. m. The music follows:

Morning.
In Humble Faith.....Garrett
Solo, Miss Palmer.
Evening.
The Day Thou Gavest.....Woodward
Lord, Now Let.....Bunnett

Victoria West, corner of Catherine and Wilson streets. Rev. James A. Wood, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Service of song by the choir at 7:15. The subject in the morning will be "Christ's Entry into the City," and in the evening, "Isaac, a Study of His Life." Sunday school and adult Bible class at 2:30 p. m. Monday evening the Epworth League will entertain the young people of the Centennial Methodist church. Prayer and praise service on Thursday evening. Strangers and visitors heartily welcome.

James Bay, corner of Michigan and Menzies streets. A. N. Miller, pastor. Men's class meeting at 10:15 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Rules," evening subject, "Experiences of Tishers." Sunday school and adult classes at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League, Monday evening at 8 o'clock. On Thursday evening the prayer and praise meeting will begin at 7:45 and will be followed by a meeting of the trustee board. Choir practice on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. A sale of work, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid, will be held in the church on Wednesday afternoon, the 12th inst., commencing at 2:30 o'clock.

BAPTIST.
Emmanuel, corner Fernwood road and Gladstone avenue. Sermons by Rev. W. Stevenson. Morning, 11 a. m. "The Second and Glory of the Cross," children's talk, "The Silver Crown"; evening, 7:30 p. m. "My Two Years' Experience in Victoria." Sunday school and Bible classes for men and women, 2:30 p. m. Y. P. U., Monday, 8 p. m. "An Evening With Mendelssohn," by Mr. A. J. Johnson. Prayer service, Thursday, 5 p. m. The music follows. Leader, Fred. Parfitt; organist, Miss Flossie Wood.

Organ-Prelude.....
Holy, Holy, Holy.....
Hymn 177-Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing.....
Anthem-Behold, How Good and Joyful.....Clark Whitfield
Organ-Andantino.....Barnby
Hymn 135-Children's Hymn.....Barnby
Hymn 135-In the Cross of Christ I Glory.....
Organ-Concluding Voluntary.....
Evening.
Organ-Prelude.....
Old Tune-Diadem.....
Hymn 135-Oh, Worship the King.....
Anthem-The Radiant Morn., Woodward
Organ-Pastorale.....Bonheur
Hymn 42-Forward, Christian Soldiers.
Hymn 151-Jesus Shall Reign.....Bonheur
Organ-March.....Bonheur

First, temporary building, corner Quadra and Yates streets. Rev. John B. Warnicker, B. A., pastor. Morning worship at 11 a. m.; subject of sermon, "Uncrowned Heroes." Evening service at 7:30 o'clock; subject of sermon, "The Religion of a Sensible Man." The Sunday schools—Home, Burnside and Victoria West—at 2:30 p. m. Young ladies' Philanthropy, men's Baraca and adult Bible classes at same hour. Preaching service, Burnside, mission, 7 p. m. Young people's meeting, Monday, 8 p. m. when the Metropolitan Epworth League will be the guests of the evening. Thursday, missionary tea and programme, under auspices Women's Mission Circle.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, 233 Pandora avenue. Services Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock. Sunday school meets at 12 o'clock noon. Testimonial meetings, Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Subject for April 5, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" All are welcome.

LUTHERAN.
St. Paul's, Meares street, between Quadra and Vancouver. Sunday school at 10 a. m. German service and confirmation at 11 a. m. English services at 7:30 p. m. The services during Holy Week are as follows: Holy Thursday, 7:45 p. m., German Lenten devotions and preparatory service; Good Friday, 11 a. m., German service; 7:30 p. m., English service. Easter day, Sunday school at 10 a. m.; German service and holy communion at 11 a. m.; English service at 7:30 p. m. Welcome to all. Rev. Otto G. M. Gerlich, pastor.

Grace, English, corner of Queen's avenue and Blanchard street. Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The subject of the sermon in the morning will be, "Christ Triumphant." In the evening the subject will be, "Earnestness." The Sunday school meets at 2:30 p. m. A cordial welcome to the services and Sunday school is extended. The Ladies' Aid Society of the church will meet at the home of the pastor, 821 Queen's avenue, on Thursday, April 13, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Drabn extends a cordial invitation to friends also. Rev. William C. Drabn, pastor.

UNITARIAN.
First, Unitarian hall, 1230 Government street, next to Bowes' drug store. Service, Sunday, at 7:30 p. m.; subject, "High Living," by A. J. Pineo. All in sympathy with the liberal Christian faith, or interested in progressive theology are cordially invited to its membership.

OTHER MEETINGS.
Salvation Army, Citadel, Broad street. Services: 7 a. m., knee drill; 11 a. m., holiness meeting; 2 p. m., Sunday school; 3 p. m., praise meeting; 7:30 p. m., salvation meeting. Public meetings during the week on Monday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, at 8 p. m. Staff Capt. Hayes, Capt. Knudson and Lieut. Reid, officers in charge.

Christians gathered in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ meet in Victoria hall, Blanchard street, as follows: Lord's day, 11 a. m., breaking of bread, Christian's sound in doctrine and only a walk welcomed at the Lord's table; 3 p. m., Sunday school and Bible classes; 7:30 p. m., Gospel service. Wednesday, 8 p. m., prayer and ministry of the Word.

remberton chapel, provincial Royal Jubilee hospital. Divine service at 2 p. m., under the direction of the Ministerial Association. Rev. A. Henderson will preach.

Psychic Research Society, A. O. F. hall, Broad street. Sunday evening service will be held at 8 o'clock; Mrs. Jackson, speaker. Messages after the lecture.

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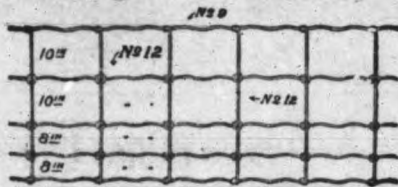
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Crew of Sealing Vessel Have
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North Sydney, B. C., April 8.—Caught in the grip of drifting ice in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, the steamer Harlow was crushed to pieces yesterday. The 120 men on board escaped over the treacherous ice jam to St. Paul's Island, where they are cut off from communication with the mainland, except by wireless.

Immediately upon being informed of the wreck the government steamers Lady Laurier, stationed at Halifax, and Earl Grey, at Pictou, were dispatched with supplies to take off the marooned men. It is expected they will reach the island to-day.

The Harlow left St. John's, N. F., March 13, bound on a sealing trip to the Gulf of St. Lawrence. She found herself yesterday in the centre of the ice jam, which swept upon the steamer, driven by a high wind so quickly that the men heard the grinding of the ice upon her sides before they realized their peril. Almost immediately the plates began to give way, and Captain Baxter Harbour shouted orders to abandon the vessel.

With water pouring in on all sides, the crew and sealers hurried to the upper deck and clambered over the sides to the ice. But a short time afterwards the destruction of the steamer was completed.

Heading in the direction in which they believed land was, the men finally reached St. Paul's Island and reported the wreck.

MINING ENGINEER

SUES A CLERGYMAN

Edward Hodgson, Victoria, is
Claiming Salary and
Share of Stock

Vancouver, April 8.—Suit against Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, the famous Brooklyn divine, has just been entered in the courts here by McCrosnan & Harper, on behalf of Edward Hodgson, a Victoria mining engineer, who is claiming some \$50,000 worth of stock in the Western Steel Corporation, as well as approximately \$1,900 due for development services in connection with coal lands on Graham Island.

Particulars of the case were explained in supreme court this morning, when Harper, of the legal firm mentioned, made an application for the ex-juris service of a writ on Rev. Mr. Hillis, in Brooklyn. The order of service was granted.

It was stated that the plaintiff in the case undertook to examine the coal lands for Rev. Mr. Hillis, and that he was instrumental in putting through the deal by which the Western Steel Corporation of Seattle and Vancouver acquired them. For this work it was claimed he had a contract with the divine for \$600 a month salary, and \$50,000 worth of stock in the Western Steel Corporation. When the sale was consummated, and Rev. Mr. Hillis received, it is alleged, upwards of \$250,000 worth of stock, Hodgson was forgotten. The suit is to recover the amount of stock mentioned, back salary to the extent of about \$1,000, and for an injunction against the sale of the Hillis stock in the meantime, as well as an account of the transaction with the Western Steel Corporation.

The Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, who is made defendant in the case, is one of the best known preachers on the American continent, filling the pulpit of Plymouth church, Brooklyn, where Ward Beecher formerly preached. He is also a prominent writer on religious topics.

FOR NON-SUPPORT

Sacramento, Cal., April 8.—Governor Johnson yesterday signed a bill which is designed to put a stop to lazy and indolent husbands seeking jails instead of supporting their wives and little ones. The bill provides that in cases of conviction for non-support the husband may be sentenced to the county jail, and required to work on the public roads or other public work, the county paying \$1.50 to the wife and babies for each day the male provider toils.

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THINKING THEMES

BY DR. FRANK CRANE.

Just as the spoken oration and the written essay are two distinct things, and, though containing, precisely the same ideas, produce utterly contrary effects upon the mind; so there are two separate, opposed and un-mixable kinds of music; one, harmony, or the blending of sounds of various pitch and duration; the other, melody, or the procession of single, unaccompanied sounds, one after the other, in the same voice or instrument.

Harmony is intellectual. It requires a certain amount of education and technical apprenticeship to appreciate it. It is for that small portion of the race who care to study music. It has nothing to say to those who approach it naively. It is for the sophisticated mind and the trained ear. In the full sense of the word it can never be popular.

Two classes of people go to Operas and Symphony Concerts: those who have studied and in some measure understand the intricacies of musical composition, and those who attend because it is "the thing." The people, as such, never go.

Melody, on the contrary, is the peculiar vehicle of emotion. All popular songs, national and religious hymns, and the like, are nothing but plain tunes, that is one note after another in single file. It is melody that reaches the heart; harmony affects the aesthetic sense and touches the intellect.

The chords and accompaniment of "Annie Laurie" or "Home, Sweet Home," or "The Swanee River," have nothing to do with that idiosyncratic spell each tune casts. In church hymns the profoundest religious impression is made when the whole congregation sings the air. Choirs are essentially non-religious—I do not say irreligious. Humanity is stirred to dancing and war and weeping and gaiety and worship by Melody, and by that alone. Harmony is not for the People; it is for the Elect.

JURY'S TRIBUTE TO DEAD ENGINEER

John D. Jones Gave His Life in
Effort to Save Fellow
Workmen

Nanaimo, April 8.—The coroner's inquest into the death of the late John D. Jones, who died as a result of injuries received in the explosion of the powder magazine on Protection Island on Wednesday evening was held yesterday by Coroner Davis.

Among the witnesses examined was Jas. M. Brown, whose evidence was interesting. He stated that he was out on the verandah at 11:45 and caught sight of a bright light on the edge of the beach on Protection Island. It died down and rose again. He saw a light coming down from the pithead towards the fire when the first explosion occurred. He saw the timbers flying apart and then he heard the second explosion. This was about two minutes to twelve. Thus he saw the fire, then the light coming down from the engine house, then the explosion and then the second one.

Chief Inspector of Mines Shepherd pointed out that this appearance of a light was the only evidence bearing on the probable action of Jones. It indicated that Jones had left his engine house to go to the fire to try to save the company's property and also the lives of the men in the mine. He would like the jury to consider this.

The testimony of several other witnesses was taken, after which the coroner charged the jury, who afterwards retired, and upon their return submitted the following verdict:

"We, the jury, assembled to inquire into the death of John D. Jones, of the city of Nanaimo, do find that whereas there are many theories that we cannot deal with, and from lack of evidence before us, we return the following verdict: That John D. Jones, of the city of Nanaimo, met his death on the 24th of April, 1911, on Protection Island, and his death was caused by an explosion of the magazine and store-room, but what caused the said explosion there is no evidence to show; therefore, we return a verdict of accidental death."

(Sgd.) Thomas Kitchen, Foreman.

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Well-Known Portland Athlete Run Over by Freight Car.

Portland, Ore., April 8.—George W. McMillan, one of the best-known football players on the Pacific Coast, was run over and almost instantly killed by a freight car yesterday in front of his grain warehouse at Thirteenth and Irving streets in this city. McMillan's body was severed just below the hips. He was 28 years old.

In crossing the track McMillan was forced to pass within a few inches of the end car. At this instant a locomotive in coupling into the cars shoved them along several feet. McMillan was knocked down and ground under the car trucks.

In 1892 and 1894 McMillan played tackle on the Stanford football team; in 1895 with the Reliance club in San Francisco, and in 1896 with Butte, Mont. In 1898 he came to Portland and until 1909 played almost continuously on the Multnomah Athletic Club team. McMillan was president of the Multnomah Club for two terms, and has been prominent in local politics.

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The above rules are made for the benefit of readers of the Times, who insist upon the paper being delivered as early in the evening as possible.

THE ELECTION.

The result of the voting on the civic elections yesterday was a clear indication that the majority of the people of Victoria were satisfied that the mayor and council were elected in January by the popular voice. A great many people who voted against Mayor Morley on that occasion supported him yesterday, because they considered it a matter of justice to do so. The city has been put to a great deal of expense, and all to no purpose.

One feature of the contest was the strong run made by John Dilworth in Ward Five, the candidate coming within one vote of defeating Alexander Peden.

The uselessness of the election was clearly shown by the result. Had the provincial government been actuated by a single desire to serve the people of Victoria it would have avoided all the trouble and expense to the city by validating the January elections. Now the only thing is to get down to business and make up for the valuable time that has been lost in the matter of initiating new work. There is very much to do and little time in which to do it. The contest is over and it is for all to try to work together for the upbuilding of a great city here. There is no time for quarrelling and bickering. All the energy of the mayor and council is needed in the work which lies before them. Between now and the end of the year a great amount of work may be done. The citizens want this done. If the mayor and council do it they will deserve the confidence of the electorate, but if not they will have to be replaced.

MR. GOSNELL'S FIGURES.

Mr. R. E. Gosnell's delayed confession in last evening's Times that he alone is responsible for the figures upon which the cry for better terms was based, has peculiar significance.

These figures did duty in two or three provincial election campaigns and in the last federal election. They were evidently prepared for the purpose of arousing the hostility of the electors of this province against the federal government; to deceive the representatives of the various provinces at the last provincial conference, and to influence the Dominion government in making an exceptional grant to the province.

Chickens generally come home to roost, and sooner or later there had to come an ignominious finish to a campaign based upon false figures and deliberately planned to misrepresent the relations between the province and the Dominion. Hon. Walter Scott, premier of Saskatchewan, has publicly announced that he does not propose that British Columbia, the richest province in the Dominion, shall continue to enjoy this special treatment without protest. Nova Scotia, with a larger population than British Columbia, and with about one-eighth of its revenue, finds it difficult to make both ends meet, but still she has to pay her share of the additional \$100,000 paid annually to the province of British Columbia. Other provinces in the Dominion are not so favorably situated as British Columbia are not likely to silently acquiesce in the present arrangement, and the people of British Columbia will soon face the charge that through its government and its statisticians, a large amount of money has been secured by false pretences from the rest of the Dominion.

What answer is Mr. McBride going to make? Is he preparing to make a scapegoat of his faithful henchman, Mr. Gosnell? Is Mr. Gosnell's confession the first signal for retreat? Is the excuse going to be offered that the whole cry of better terms was based on false figures, and that Mr. Gosnell alone is responsible for them? If the McBride government is relying upon such a defence it must fail, because a comparison of Mr. Gosnell's figures with those of the auditor-general of Canada, prepared by the authority of parliament, will conclusively show that Mr. Gosnell's figures are based upon no official records.

Mr. Gosnell's figures show that from the year 1872, when British Columbia entered Confederation, until the year 1905, the province of British Columbia had paid into the exchequer of the Dominion of Canada the sum of \$54,717,544, and that in the same years the Dominion had expended the sum of \$38,637,352, leaving a balance in favor of the province of \$16,080,192. On motion of Mr. Duncan Ross, the then member for Yale-Cariboo, the Dominion parliament ordered the auditor-general of Canada to prepare a return showing the actual receipts from this province for the same years under the same heads used by Mr. Gosnell and the actual expenditure for the same years under the same heads used by Mr. Gosnell. That return was prepared and laid on the table of parliament.

Compare the figures, year by year, head by head, and one is forced to the conclusion that Mr. Gosnell's were mere guesswork, with the object of making the Dominion a large debtor to the province of British Columbia. There are a few items in Mr. Gosnell's statement that are the same as those of the auditor-general, and in nearly every instance the discrepancy is so great that it must have been deliberate. Here are a few items:

Mr. Gosnell says the total revenue to the Dominion from customs for the years mentioned is \$40,910,000. The correct figure is \$43,906,431—a difference of over three millions.

Mr. Gosnell says the revenue from the post offices is \$4,559,891. The correct figure is \$4,459,159.

Mr. Gosnell says the total revenue from excise is \$6,587,911. The correct figure is \$7,822,296.

The discrepancies under other heads are equally marked.

The inaccuracies in expenditure are still more marked. Mr. Gosnell says the interest on public debt amounts to \$2,231,914. The correct figure is \$5,764,453.

Mr. Gosnell says the amount paid for mail subsidies is \$731,025. The correct amount is \$3,639,565.

Mr. Gosnell says the amount expended on post offices is \$4,559,891. The correct amount is \$6,718,652.

But why multiply these glaring examples? In order to obtain his splendid deficit, Mr. Gosnell overlooked many important items. He evidently claimed that British Columbia was not part of the Dominion, because he repudiated the suggestion that any of the cost of federal government, the payment of members or senators, even those representing this province, should fall to British Columbia, and made no provision for this in his calculation. He evidently believed that this province was no part of the great British Empire, and that British Columbia should bear no share in the payment of a representative of the British Crown in Canada nor in the upkeep of Rideau Hall as the official residence of His Excellency the Governor-General. Civil government at Ottawa, legislation, arts, agriculture and statistics, including the taking of the census, were conveniently overlooked, and the small item of \$18,109,841 paid by the Dominion government to aid railway construction in the province of British Columbia played no part in his calculations.

His figures are wrong, even in the amount paid in provincial subsidies, by a quarter of a million dollars; the expenditure on fisheries half a million dollars; and all down the long list there is the strongest possible evidence that Mr. Gosnell either made his figures to suit the purposes of his master or had his office boy prepare them.

The auditor-general, upon the authority of parliament, officially states that for the thirty-four financial years commencing with the time when British Columbia entered Confederation, the Dominion government received from all sources in the province of British Columbia, including the sale of its own lands, the sum of \$60,278,413, and there was expended in these years in the province of British Columbia for all purposes the sum of \$65,633,825, or over \$5,000,000 more than was received. Mr. Gosnell states that in the same years the province paid to the Dominion treasury \$18,680,162 more than was expended by the Dominion.

Mr. McBride won his provincial elections on Mr. Gosnell's figures. He won

the last federal election on Mr. Gosnell's figures and the Oriental cry, a cry as false as the figures. He deceived the provincial premier with Mr. Gosnell's figures. He deceived the federal government with Mr. Gosnell's figures. He must make answer now. Will Mr. Gosnell's confession that he alone is responsible for the figures be accepted as an adequate defence?

MR. PANKS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Mr. R. E. Gosnell in the role of Panks throws a lurid and instructive light on the late Better Terms issue. Mr. Panks, as our readers doubtless know, was an interesting character in one of Charles Dickens's best stories. He was the servant of a man whose long gave him the appearance of a benevolent patriarch. Mr. Panks was entrusted with the duty of collecting rack rents for this sweet-faced capitalist and had to bear all the odium which properly appertained to his "proprietor." One day Mr. Panks rose in rebellion and, seizing a pair of scissors, sheared the head of the Patriarch clean. And, behold, the imposter was revealed in his true character as a scoundrel, grasping scoundrel. We shall leave it to our readers to judge whether Mr. Gosnell in the character of Panks has shorn Mr. McBride or Mr. Cowan of Vancouver, both of whom have assumed to be the author and finisher of the Better Terms issue.

Mr. Gosnell argues that the fact that British Columbia contributes in custom revenue three times the amount per capita of any of the other provinces of the Dominion to the federal treasury makes good the claim for Better Terms. But how does he propose proving that all the goods upon which duties are paid at our ports are consumed within the bounds of the province? According to Mr. Gosnell's logic the cost of the administration of the municipality of Montreal should be borne largely by the federal government, as that port contributes to the Dominion treasury a very large proportion of the customs revenue. The case has only to be stated in order to prove its absurdity.

But, granting the soundness of the reasoning of our correspondent, there is a way of adjusting the inequalities complained of, and that method Mr. Gosnell is opposed to. Under the reciprocity agreement at present before the Canadian Parliament and the United States Congress it is estimated that the contributions of the people of British Columbia to the federal treasury will be reduced by from two and a half to three million dollars. Yet Mr. Gosnell has publicly expressed his opposition to reciprocity and the reduction of taxation it would involve. Our correspondent is palpably impaired on the horns of his own arguments.

A. J. Robertson, a former Conservative leader in Alberta, is out strongly for reciprocity.

Many French-Canadians are moving westward to the prairies. Population increases so fast in Quebec that the young people are being crowded out.

John Herron, M. P., is going to vote for reciprocity. Mr. Herron is member for Alberta constituency and is a Conservative.

The concealed man is the man who thinks he knows. The man who really knows is never conceited. With his knowledge has come a recognition of his shortcomings.

It is officially stated that the visit of the King to India and the great durbar in that country will cost five million dollars. This sum will be apportioned between the governments of Great Britain and India.

The conditions in the famine-stricken districts of China must be appalling, according to the picture painted in a letter published to-day from the secretary of the committee in Toronto which has undertaken to collect relief funds. The Times has been asked by a Victoria lady who takes a keen interest in all works of benevolence and charity to call special attention to the appeal of this committee. Perhaps it would be better for all contributors to deal directly with the secretary of this committee, but the Times will gladly receive and acknowledge all contributions and forward them to headquarters.

PERSONALS.

The marriage of Mr. Alex. F. McPhee, broker, to Miss Iva M. Henderson, daughter of Mr. Stuart Henderson, barrister, and granddaughter of Mr. Wm. Henderson, of the Public Works Department, took place last Monday, Rev. Jos. McCoy being the officiating clergyman. After their return from the wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. McPhee will reside in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gillespie have returned to town after spending the winter in California.

Mrs. W. W. Ralph, 1524 Pembroke St., will not be at home to visitors until further notice.

London, April 8.—Captain J. Hardes Lloyd and Captain Herbert Wilson sailed for New York to-day on the steamer Lusitania from Liverpool. The other members of the British polo team which will try to regain the international polo championship on the Meadowbrook field will start for America soon. E. W. E. Palmer and Capt. Leslie Cheape will sail on Wednesday and Capt. F. W. Barrett and Lieut. A. Noel Edwards will follow on April 18.

EXPLOSION IN ALABAMA MINE

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY PROBABLY DEAD

Over Hundred Reported Entombed—Work of Rescue Delayed

Littleton, Ala., April 8.—At 3 o'clock this afternoon it was practically certain that 115 men had been killed in the Banner mine explosion that occurred this morning.

Seven bodies have been recovered, and about 30 white and 80 negroes are still in the shaft. Forty-five men were rescued alive.

There is small hope for the entombed men, all but five of whom are convicts. The work of getting out the bodies is necessarily slow, as the ventilation apparatus must be repaired.

LIBERAL SMOKER.

Wards Four and Five to Meet on Tuesday Evening.

The Liberal Associations of Wards Four and Five will hold a smoking concert in the A. O. U. W. hall on Tuesday evening next.

Arrangements are being perfected which will ensure a most enjoyable evening for all who attend, and a welcome is extended to every voter in the two wards mentioned. A lengthy musical programme is being prepared, one feature of which will be the singing of the Welsh Quartette, whose work is too well known to need more than the mention to attract a great number.

There will be short, bright speeches, good smokes and refreshments.

CIVIC HOLIDAY.

Meeting to Start Arrangements is to be Held Tuesday.

A public meeting is called for Tuesday evening, in the City hall, to discuss the holding of the yearly celebration of Victoria Day, May 24. Last year, it will be remembered, there were no festivities owing to the death of King Edward.

The chief matter for discussion on Tuesday evening will be the date of the event—was there is no doubt that the annual event to which Victorians have looked forward for years will be revived. It is being suggested that this year it be delayed until June, on the occasion of the coronation.

ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY.

Toronto Concern Will Pass Into Hands of Big Syndicate.

Toronto, April 8.—The Toronto Electric Light Co. will pass, not into the hands of the city, but into the hands of a syndicate identified with the group of power companies of which Sir Wm. Mackenzie is the head.

Such was the decision reached by the Toronto electric directors at the shareholders' meeting yesterday, and as they, personally and by proxy, control a majority vote, the acceptance of the syndicate's offer is a formality. There were but two offers, that of the city to pay \$125 and leave the liquid assets for distribution to the shareholders, and that of the syndicate to take over the stock and pay \$135.

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8 inch Plates, Dozen	\$1.50	Platters, 14 inch, each	90c
7 inch Soup Plates, Dozen	\$1.50	Platters, 16 inch, each	\$1.00
Vegetable Dishes, each	75c	Sauce Boats	25c
Pie Plates, each	20c	Covered Sugar Box	35c
Cups and Saucers, dozen, \$1.00 and \$1.25		Slop Bowl and Cream Jug, per pair	35c
A 95-PIECE DINNER SET of the above. Special			\$10.00

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NEWS OF SPORT

TEAMS PREPARING FOR OPENING DAY

Northwestern League Clubs Are All Pruning—Rosters of Teams

With the opening of the season less than two weeks away the Northwestern league clubs are commencing to cut down their rosters. Vancouver has 31 men, Seattle 29, Portland and Spokane each 25, Victoria 24, and Tacoma 21. As all but 16 on each team have to be let out before June 1 there will be some sharp pruning done in the next few weeks. Here is the way the clubs shape at present:

Victoria.
Catchers—Hemenway, Dashwood, Roche.
Pitchers—Marshall, Lane, Sage, Thomas, Belford, Starkell, McCreary, Narveson, Kane, Parks, Rush.
Infielders—Goodman, Raymer, Ward, Manes, Riggs, Reddick.
Outfielders—Householder, Davis, Millon, Clementson.

Vancouver.
Catchers—Lewis, J. Shea, Spiesman, Pournier, Juhl, Sorenson.
Pitchers—Jensen, Erickson, Collins, Clarke, Gervais, McQuarry, Engle, Buckles, Chappelle, Rasmussen, Cates, Hatch, Maston.

Portland.
Catchers—Burch, Harris, Wineholt.
Pitchers—Garrett, Hollis, Boyce, Bloomfield, Lamille, Wright, Glencke, Tomneson, Yates, Allegart, Berger, Dorland.

Spokane.
Catchers—Shea, Whaling, Spencer.
Pitchers—Furchner, Joss, Skeels, Henkle, Odes, Arnold, Zuckert, Dickinson, Thomas, Hansen, Hadley, Losgray, Fisher, Butler, Seaton.

Tacoma.
Catchers—De Vogt, Byrnes, Siebet.
Pitchers—Schmutz, Hall, McCam-

ment, Gechan, Thomas, Watson, Taylor, Gordon.
Infielders—Rockenfield, Coleman, McFadden, Brown, Fisher, Howatt, Nicholson.
Outfielders—Lynch, Bassey, Warren, Spokane.
Catchers—Ostidek, Hasty, McIntosh.
Pitchers—Holm, Cornelius, Brown, Kraft, Strand, Schwenk, Schoop, Bonner, H. Killip, Woods, Ingelbreton, Willis.
Infielders—Nordyke, Cartwright, Netzel, Gray, Tauscher.
Outfielders—Kippert, Frisk, Sauer, Dickinson, Lerch, Zimmerman.

PROVINCIAL LEAGUE GAMES.

Ladysmith and Nanaimo at Ladysmith To-morrow—Calles and Vancouver.

To-morrow afternoon at Ladysmith the two Island professional league teams, Ladysmith and Nanaimo, will meet at Ladysmith. To-day the Vancouver and Calles meet on the latter's grounds.

The result of the game at Ladysmith to-morrow is of particular interest, as if Nanaimo wins the Island teams will be on a level, but if Ladysmith is victorious the provincial league championship is practically settled. The other teams are still in the race but they will have to improve a hundred per cent to overcome the lead which will be gained by the Island champions if they win to-morrow.

Nanaimo United is Ladysmith's most formidable opponent. The coal miners have strengthened their team considerably since they last met the leaders and they expect to make a far better showing to-morrow than they did on the last occasion. They have been trying to secure the services of two or three of the best soccer players in Vancouver, but could not come to terms with them.

WHLERS ANGRY.

In a letter to the Cowichan Leader, written on behalf of the Duncan basketball team, one of the spectators of the match last Saturday between Duncan and Y. M. L. takes exception to a statement made in the Times, as follows: "The local boys brought home a tale of roughness and unfairness."

He then goes on to say that the match was played with much spirit and determination on both sides, and owing to the close checking of J. B. Knox, most of the Y. M. L. scoring was made on his alleged foul. Now if a referee from the home town is obliged to award sixteen fouls against one man on the home team surely nothing more need be said.

The United Kingdom numbers more trades union members than any other country except Germany.

ISLANDERS AGAIN PROVE INVINCIBLE

Defeat Crack Snohomish Nine 13 to 1—Lane's Good Pitching

Rounding the bases four times in the first, second and fifth and once in the seventh, the Islanders defeated the much-talked-of Snohomish nine yesterday by a score of 13 to 1. When Snohomish took the field the fans expected to see a somewhat evenly contested game, as it has been said that they, except for their batting, are as good as any of the Northwestern league teams, but it was speedily proven that they are not in the same class as Victoria at any rate.

Eddie Householder was evidently looking for a hard game, for he had his pet nine on the field. Dashwood was catching. Lane pitching. Manes on first, Raymer second, Ward short stop, Goodman third, Millon left field, Davis centre, and Ed. himself right. Lane again demonstrated that he had every-thing, superb control, unlimited speed, and curves that make the batter think he has the snakes. Thomas is not the only sensation in the local baseball camp. The Snohomish players were all agreed that Lane has as many tricks up his sleeve as any of the Island twirlers. They also say that the Islanders, although perhaps not quite so gingery, are as a whole as good as if not better than, the Turks.

Altogether the Islanders played almost a faultless game of ball yesterday. Dashwood was always safe in his throwing to bases and the work in the outfield as well as the infield was of a high order. The fans are groaning, however, over the stick-handling of Manes, who, although a beautiful first-sacker, falls down every time he comes to bat.

The terrible walling received by Snohomish may in a great measure be considered the fault of Manning, the pitcher, who much resembled the renowned man from Borneo. When he did find the plate the batters generally landed on the ball and this combined with poor fielding, practically gave the game to the Islanders in the first inning.

Millon, first up, to the surprise of everyone, struck out. Davis carefully scrutinized the ball as it passed in the vicinity of the plate and then verily, incidentally he showed his versatility by batting right-handed. He is really a left-hander, but as the pitcher was a southpaw, and left-handed pitchers and batters never get on well together, he decided to change his style. He came home with the first run, off the Manning tried to catch him, but he fanned and threw the ball out to the fence. Ward, fanned, and Goodman hit out. Two-bagger and Raymer walked. Then Householder swatted the leather for two sacks, bringing Goodman and Raymer in. Householder scored on an error. Manes went out on a fly.

In the second inning Snohomish got their only run. With two out, Stevens came to bat and slammed the ball over the fence. The little jubilation over this proved too much for the nerves of the Snohomish men, and especially for those of the pitcher. He walked Lane, Millon and Davis; the centre fielder dropped Ward's fly; Raymer hit safely and Householder walked. When the dust settled after Goodman had struck out, four men, Lane, Millon, Davis and Ward, had crossed the pan.

The Islanders rested on their laurels for three innings, the only incident of interest occurring in the third when Millon, stealing second, was hit on the side of the head. Although it was a terrible crack the little fielder was on his feet in a moment as lively as ever. Another incident, which was not at all interesting, at least to the local fans, happened in the fourth. Ward, after scooping a difficult grounder, overthrew to first, thus putting himself in bad with the fans after gaining their approval.

In the fifth Snohomish again went up in the air. Dashwood singled, Lane walked and the bases were filled when Millon bunted and beat the ball out. Davis, who waited perhaps a little too long this time, fanned. Ward redeemed himself for his previous bad error by driving out a long hit just inside the left field foul line, bringing Dashwood, Lane and Millon in. He then came home himself on a passed ball.

When the side was retired and the Islanders took the field it was seen that there was a change in the line-up. Reddick was on second, Clementson in right field, McCreery pitching, and Roche catching. This team proved every bit as effective in the field, although perhaps not as handy with the bat as the other. Reddick can, if anything, cover more territory around second than Raymer, and McCreery, while not so steady as Lane, showed great improvement and may prove a valuable man. The last run was tallied in the seventh.

venth, Davis coming in on Goodman's hit. Snohomish had a chance in the eighth, getting a man to third with two out, but their hopes were blighted when Goodman hooked a twisting grounder with one hand and threw the runner out at first. The scores were:

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Millon, i. f.	4	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Davis, c. f.	2	3	1	1	0	0	1	1
Ward, s. s.	4	2	1	4	2	1	1	1
Goodman, 3 b.	4	1	2	2	4	0	0	0
Raymer, 2 b.	3	1	1	0	1	1	1	1
Reddick, 2 b.	2	0	0	2	3	0	0	0
Householder, r. f.	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Clementson, r. f.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Manes, i. b.	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Dashwood, c.	3	1	2	3	2	0	0	0
Roche, c.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lane, p.	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
McCreery, p.	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Total	35	13	27	14	2	0	2	2

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Jansa, 2 b.	4	0	0	5	2	0	0	0
Wilson, c. f.	4	0	0	2	0	2	0	0
Giddings, i. b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rose, i. f.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Godfrey, 3 b.	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Stevens, s. s.	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Duncan, r. f.	3	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
Moore, c.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Manning, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	30	1	2	6	5	2	0	0

Score by Innings.

Victoria

Snohomish

Summary.

Home run—Stevens. Three base hit—Ward. Two base hit, Goodman, Householder. Hits—Off Lane in 5 innings, 1; off McCreery in 4 innings, 1. Struck out—By Lane, 2; by Manning, 18. Bases on balls—Off Lane, 1; off Manning, 9. Sacrifices—Jansa, 1; Raymer, 1. Errors—Manes, 1. Left on bases—Victoria, 6; Snohomish, 3. Time of game—1 hour 50 minutes. Umpire—Ed. Gleason.

SPORT NOTES

News has reached New York that Jim Driscoll, English featherweight, who is called by British sports the best boxer in the world, has decided to retire and will not fight again unless he finds the ring offers his only means of livelihood. Driscoll will henceforth turn his attention to horse racing. He has been a follower of the races for years, and when in this country in 1910, he visited New York races frequently.

Rudolph Unholz, the Boer fighter, who was last night knocked out in the third round of a scheduled fifteen round bout with Tommy Moore, of Chicago, at St. Louis, was a few hours later removed to the hospital suffering from a dangerous case of blood poisoning. His condition is said to be serious, by physicians who are attending him. Unholz had an operation performed on a cauliflower ear a few days ago, after blood poisoning had set in. After the fight last night, it was discovered that infection had spread down the side of his face to his neck. It was soon learned that twice yesterday Unholz fainted from sheer weakness and pain. The fighter's only explanation of his action in going into the ring in such a condition was that he thought Moore would prove an easy victim.

The world's tournament record for five-men bowling teams was broken at Toronto last night, at the Canadian Bowling association meeting, when the B. B. C. team, of Toronto, rolled a total of 3,034. The last game was 1951, an average of 210 for each member of the team.

ABOUT BASEBALL

Reddick is going to give Raymer a race for the position at second.

Davis again upheld his reputation, not only for circling the bases, but for getting free passes to first. The first three times to bat the old-timer walked.

McCreery does some good execution with that short arm throw of his, but it does not seem to get the speed on the ball that a twirler who puts the whole weight of his body behind it could.

Hemenway has got them all beaten when it comes to pegging to the bases, but he cannot bat. This makes it hard to choose between the three catchers.

If Manes and Clementson could be rolled into one and a ball player produced with the batting ability of one and the fielding ability of the other, what a beautiful first sacker the Islanders would have.

In spite of one or two errors Ward persists in making every day, the fans still stick up for him, and according to Ed. is liable to be a fixture on the team.

Harry Gardner, first string man of Vancouver's twirling staff last season, will stick with the Pittsburgh team in the National League, according to latest advices from the Pirates' camp. The elongated hurler has been showing everything to Fred Clarke, and the Pirate leader is convinced that he will likely stay in the majors. He is still with Cincinnati, and according to last reports will probably play the utility roles this season. There was some talk of Breen going to an Eastern League club, but there does not appear to be anything in this report.

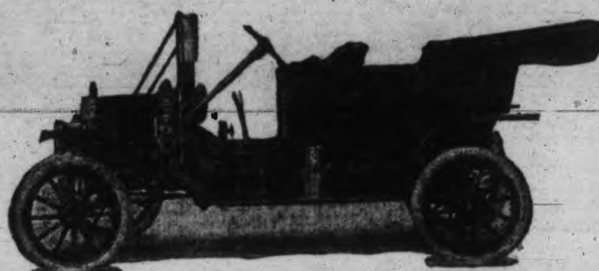
Manager Jim McAlleer declares the Boston team are the fairest and best posted in the United States, reiterating the opinion of baseball writers, who have travelled the big league circuits.

"Ty Cobb is a great ball player because he concentrates his mind on the game," declares Bobby Wallace, Brown manager, who admires the Tiger whirlwind and holds him up to his men as a model.

Big Charlie Swain, one of the leading hitters in the Northwestern League last year, who was sent up to the big show last fall by Vancouver, will be back with the Beavers again this season. The big outfielder got a trial with the Washington club this spring, but Jimmy McAlleer couldn't make use of him on the Senators' line-up, and turn-

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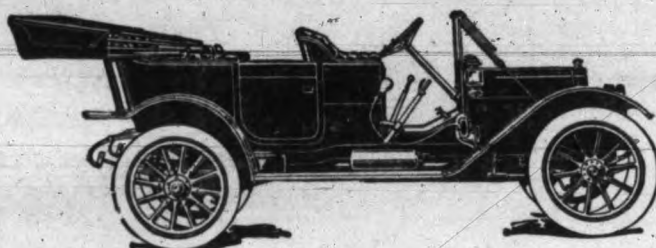
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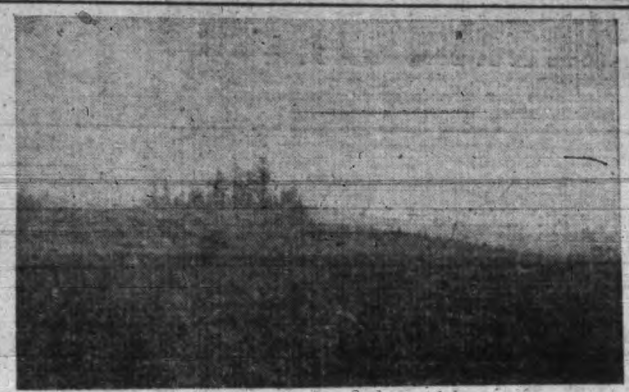
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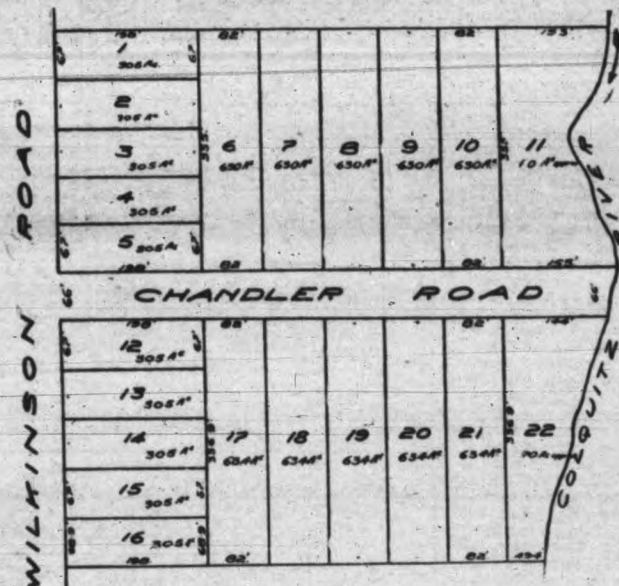
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ARE THE YOUNG TURKS BETTER THAN THE OLD

English Press Correspondent
Concludes That They Are
—Reforms Promised

Yes, the Young Turks are better than the old. Such at least is my conclusion after studying the question on the spot, after hearing opinions of every shade, after a brief tour in Macedonia, and

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tensions of the men at the head of affairs are good. That is important or unimportant according to the amount of real power which these men wield—an open question. Their difficulties are overwhelming. That they are facing them with courage, with hard work, and, in the main, with disinterested aspiration, is something gained. They are not deliberately playing on the strife of discordant nationalities. They have prosecuted certain officials and soldiers guilty of misconduct, and removed a few of them from their posts. They have introduced Christians into the army in considerable numbers and on equal terms with Moslems, as I can testify from personal visits to the barracks; and it is worth remembering that this was one of the reforms which the pessimists declared would never be carried out in practice.

Last, but perhaps most important of all, they are taking advantage of the general enthusiasm for education to establish schools in large numbers, including night schools for adults. I have visited several of these. They are under the auspices and maintained by the subscriptions of the local clubs of the committees of Union and Progress. The teaching is primitive, and the Christian scholars are but a small fraction. Still, the movement is promising. At a night school in Constantinople I saw porters, clerks, soldiers, policemen—Turks, Armenians, Arabs and negroes—studying grammar, reading and writing—with apparent enthusiasm.

Unfortunately, there is another and a darker side of the picture, which is causing the gravest anxiety to the friends of Young Turkey. The difficulties which the new government has to face have been fully recognized—the religious bigotry which flares up at any sign of rapid advance toward equal treatment of Christians and Moslems; the mixture of races, unparallelled in any other empire; the suspicion which long years of embitterment have so deeply ingrained in all the non-Turkish people; the territorial ambitions, not yet abandoned, of the neighboring Balkan States; the absence of any staff of specialists to carry out public works; the necessity of employing officials trained under the old regime, with minds warped by corruption and intrigue; the traditions of an army steeped in the idea of domination and moved to brutality.

Slow progress, a certain amount of flag-waving and drum-beating, some interference with freedom of speech, even acts of violence by officials or soldiers under insufficient control—these were to be expected. Critics are ever ready to excuse them, provided that evidence is given of steady endeavor in the right direction. It is a question of direction. Are the Young Turks on the right track?

The disquieting symptoms may be summed up in one phrase—a growing belief in force. The military element seems to have become dominant since the day when the army saved the constitution at the "Counter-Revolution" of April 13, 1909. The military clubs, nominally non-political, are playing an important part side by side with the local branches of the committee of Union and Progress. The annexation of Bosnia, the quarrel over Crete—these things have tended to create an exaggerated fear of foreign aggression, which in its turn is used to justify excessive military expenditure.

It is the old story, so familiar to us at home—"What is the use of internal reforms until our national existence is secured against all possible dangers?" Even men of really liberal opinions are so infected by this Jingo atmosphere that they repeat its parrot cries more readily than before. Instead of using every means in the power to tranquilize and conciliate the Young Turks have thought it necessary to assert Turkish ascendancy, and to shake the matted fist in the face of troublesome nationalities. Disturbances in Northern Albania, in the winter of 1909-10, were made the excuse for a violent system of dragonnading among another part of the population which had nothing to do with them. A promising educational movement was stifled. Leading men were arrested, imprisoned and beaten with every circumstance of indignity. This was the first of the bitter fruits of the new policy. It was followed by disarmament—a word of ill omen in Turkey. Once the Albanians were partially disarmed, a demand arose (naturally enough) for the disarmament of their neighbors, the Bulgarian population of Central Macedonia. A further excuse for this was found in the presence of outlaw bands. These the government is right in exterminating, provided it governs justly. But to disarm the people first is putting the cart before the horse.

There are only two ways of disarming in Macedonia. One is to make the carrying of arms superfluous; the other is to compel their surrender, by beatings and other tortures. The government chose the latter. On a fair balance of the evidence the facts seem to be these. In many places, notably at Irbid, where reprisals took place and six Turks were murdered, flogging and other indignities were freely inflicted, some officers of the older and more brutal type taking part in it themselves. In some villages a few blows were used, and then, after negotiations with the headman of the priest, a peaceful surrender took place. In the greater number of places the fear of violence was enough to secure disarmament without trouble. After two or three months the process was stopped and the disarmament left incomplete. A few of the guilty officers have been placed on trial, and one or two have been sentenced to imprisonment. There is only one ray of light on this gloomy scene. It is now recognized that a gross blunder was made, and the best of the Young Turks admit the main facts and deplore them. That is in itself an advance. Under the old regime the whole thing would have been officially denied and quietly ignored.

To make light of these events is to render no true service to Young Turkey. This is the worst blot on its record. There are signs that a halt has been called. Let it be said to their credit, the Young Turks do not resent criticism from those who have proved themselves their friends. The situation is grave, but Liberal Europe has been shocked, and that they must regain its moral support. They know, further, that they can only obtain cheap money and the removal of various forms of foreign con-

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QUEER "GHOSTS"

Devil and Death Visit Woman at Night Demanding Money.

A poor peasant woman living in the lonely village of Wagselnye, in Hungary, was notified by the post office authorities in the neighboring town that a sum of \$1,000 was lying there for her which had been sent by her husband from America. They told her to bring

witnesses to establish her identity when she came to claim the money.

The woman went to the mayor of her commune, who gave her a certificate. It was, however, too late to fetch the money that day. During the night two horrible apparitions appeared to the woman in her lonely cottage. These "ghosts," said that they were the devil and his brother death, and that she must give the money that she fetched from the post office that morning to the devil, as

otherwise he would give her over to his brother death. The devil said that her husband had stolen it in America, and that thus it belonged to him.

The woman, who was terribly frightened, said that she had not yet got the money. The "ghosts," it was alleged, compelled her to swear that she would deliver it to them next day, and departed. The peasant woman went to the post office and asked for the money. The postmaster said he wanted witness, and she replied that she could

not pay them to attend as the money belonged to the devil in any case. She then related the incident of the night before.

The postmaster gave her the money and let her go home, but acquainted the police with her story. They watched the hut that night and arrested the "ghosts," who, it is alleged, turned out to be the mayor of the commune and a relative who had, when the police appeared, already taken possession of the money.

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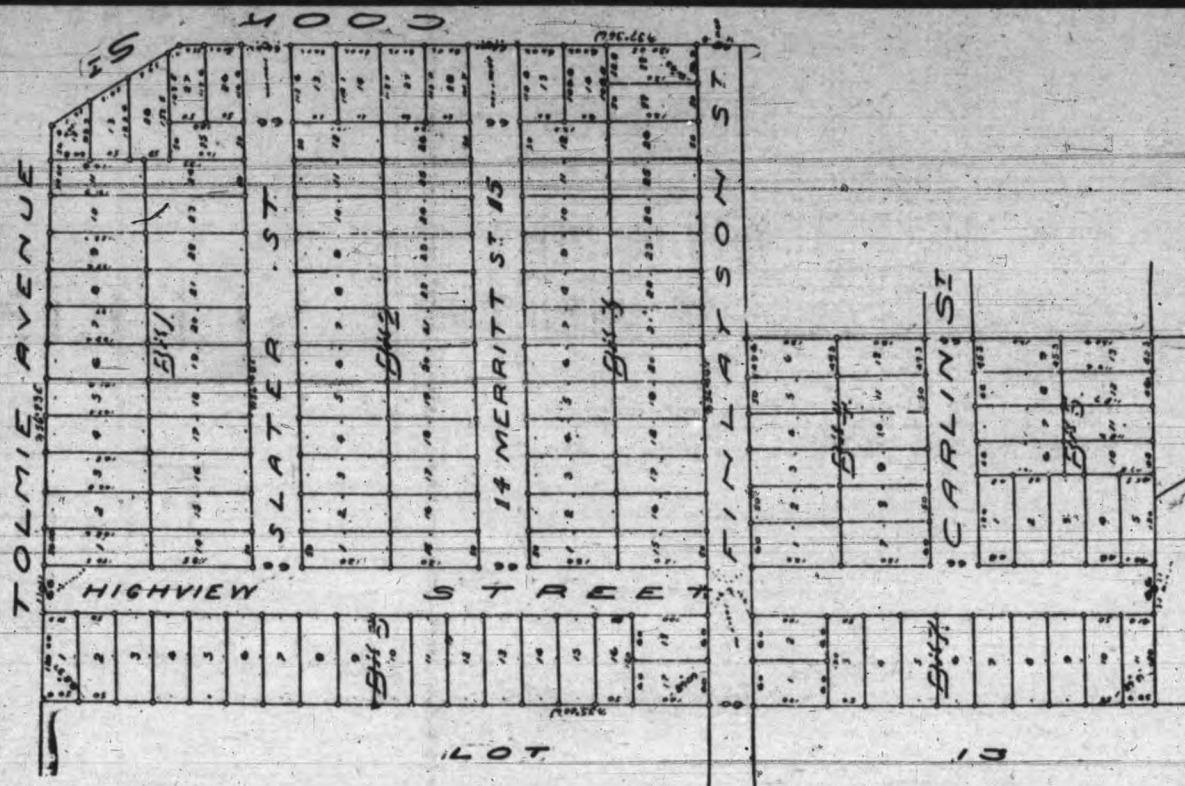
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Exciting Race Between Cavalry and Automobilists—
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Calxico, Cal., April 8.—With bullets flying about them, managers of the Cudahy ranch, in an automobile, won a race with rebel cavalry to the international boundary yesterday.

The race was the climax of a marauding expedition started by Stanley Williams, the rebel leader, who has been operating independently of the insurrecto forces at Mexicali. It was probably one of the most thrilling races in which an automobile has ever participated. The chase following the looting of the Cudahy ranch by Williams' men, who were not satisfied with the horses, mules and provisions taken last night. Williams also wanted the costly touring car. The Americans on the ranch learned of Williams' design and started for the American line. The rebel cavalry, in hot pursuit, made several short cuts, and twice the mounted rebels were close to the fugitives. Once the rebels had to be stopped. Americans, but none reached a safe place. In the automobile, which was driven by W. E. Taylor, were Thomas P. Daly, manager of the Cudahy ranch, and three others.

In the fifteen mile race from their ranch to the line, Taylor sent the car flying over rocks and ditches at full speed. When the line was crossed, Williams and his men were less than a quarter of a mile behind. The marauding band numbered 57 men by actual count, and, following the episode, they straggled into Mexicali, despite the declaration of Salinas, commanding the insurrecto force there, that they would not be permitted to enter. It is possible that Salinas has changed his mind regarding Williams, and is willing to accept reinforcements to his meagre garrison of thirty men, as a battle with the federals is imminent. The federals, a few miles away, are making preparations to attack Mexicali.

NEGRO LYNCHED BY MOB.

Lawrenceville, Ga., April 8.—A mob of two hundred masked men stormed the jail here and secured a negro, Charles Hale, arrested for assaulting Mrs. C. C. Williams. The mob hanged the negro on a tree and riddled his body with bullets.

In Holland the landlord has not the power of raising the rent or of evicting a tenant.

REPUBLICANS PROTEST. Declare Democrats Are Trampling Rights of Minority in United States House.

Washington, D. C., April 8.—The first formal caucus of Republican House leaders, including the insurgent portion of the party, was held here last evening. It followed a refusal of the Democrats to give up any more committee places to the Republicans to restore the proportion that has heretofore existed between the two parties in the committee assignments.

After the conference Mr. Mann gave out a statement arraigning what he called the "unfair, arbitrary and brutal action of the Democrats in trampling the rights of the minority."

The statement promises a Republican fight to take advantage of parliamentary privileges to make things hot on the floor.

Mr. Mann submitted the situation to the conference, and asked whether he should not refuse entirely to name committees on the limited basis of representation given by the Democrats.

HOME RULE.

Redmond Predicts Re-Alignment of Present Parties in Ireland.

John E. Redmond, leader of the Irish parliamentary party, in a statement in the London Daily Mail on "What Ireland Would Be Like Under Home Rule," predicts that it would be very different from what the people anticipate. The existing political dissensions, says, would be replaced by economic, municipal and educational questions. The existing lines of cleavage between the two parties would be obliterated. Then possibly, says Mr. Redmond, new classes of men would enter the political field to become members of the Irish parliament. These would come, first, from the ranks of the Irish gentry, cultivated men, with a stake in the country, who heretofore had held aloof because they opposed the principle of Home Rule, but who would be a great acquisition to the political life of Ireland, and with whom the question of religion would never arise. In the second place, they would be recruited from the ranks of the business and commercial classes, owing to the industrial revival certain to follow the granting of Home Rule.

Mr. Redmond considers that the question of the nationalization of the railways would become important to the Irish. With regard to the Protestant minority, the Irish leader says he is ready to accept any safeguards consistent with ordinary democratic principles, but is convinced that 12 months of Home Rule would lay all such bogeys forever.

Lastly, Mr. Redmond thinks that the idea that a financial settlement just to both countries would be a serious difficulty is quite unfounded. On the contrary, he is convinced that an investigation will show that the argument founded on finance is strongest of all in favor of Home Rule.

FINED FOR VIOLATING MOTOR VEHICLE ACT

Appeal May Be Taken by Owner of Automobile at Vancouver

Vancouver, April 7.—Magistrate Shaw decided that there had been infractions of the Motor Vehicles Act in the cases of Mr. Brydson-Jack and Robert Kelly, and imposed a fine of \$20 on each. Mr. Woods, on behalf of Mr. Brydson-Jack, still contended that the exact time of the offence must be proved before there could be any conviction.

Magistrate Shaw, however, held with Mr. Kennedy's contention that the exact time was not at all an essential. A charge of driving a motor above the speed limit on a certain day had been laid and sworn to. No evidence that the limit had not been exceeded had been brought forward, and he must find the accused guilty.

As the case of Mr. Kelly rested on the same objection as that taken to the case of Mr. Brydson-Jack, it had naturally to take the same course. Mr. Woods gave notice that he would apply for a stated case for appeal on the point of law he had raised in the case of Mr. Brydson-Jack.

A number of offenders of the minor sort under the Motor Vehicles Act were also before the court. Two of them had been driving on the wrong side of the street, and three others did not have their tail lamps burning after dark. The Bench, "you should be marked lamps trimmed and burning." And he imposed a fine of \$5 in each case.

L. F. Dundas had exceeded the speed limit and was fined \$20.

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This was the experience of Mrs. Geo. Newman, of Orangeville, Ont. She wrote in January, 1910: "I was terribly troubled with eczema on my face, neck and hands for four years. I tried everything I had heard of, then saw your advertisement in the paper, sent for a trial bottle of D. D. D., used it on my face and got well. It is now two years and no return of the eczema. I consider I am cured and it certainly was a blessing to me." No matter how terribly you suffer from eczema, salt rheum, ringworm or any other skin disease, you will feel instantly soothed and the itch relieved at once when a few drops of this compound of Oil of Wintergreen, Thymol, Glycerine, etc., is applied. The cures all seem to be permanent, too. For free trial bottle of D. D. D. write the B. D. D. Laboratories, Dept. V. T., 49 Colborne street, Toronto. C. H. Bowes, 1235 Government street.

JACK THE RIPPER. Man Arrested in Berlin on Charge of Slashing 35 Women.

There is great excitement in Germany over the reported capture of Berlin's Jack the Ripper, who kept the city in a state of panic during the first six months of 1909. The suspected man arrested by the police is Richard Bennewitz, aged 36, a painter's apprentice. He is charged with some 35 attacks on women. For two years he succeeded in eluding the police, and, when in their hands a year ago, he was released for lack of adequate evidence against him.

From the beginning of 1909 until mid-summer of that year repeated attacks on women in various quarters of Berlin resulted in the organization of regular civilian defence leagues.

Men refused to allow their wives to go out after sundown even to shop. Gunsmiths did an enormous trade in revolvers and life preservers, and numbers of innocent persons were seriously injured owing to their supposed resemblance to the Ripper.

A cry of "There goes the Ripper" was enough to bring dozens of men armed with knuckledusters, rubber life preservers and sword sticks from their homes, and all joined in the chase of the supposed Ripper until either his harmlessness was established or the police intervened.

The Ripper's action was always the same. He would slide up to a woman in the street, ask some harmless question, then suddenly flash a knife in her face and make a cut at her ribs. Many women were more or less permanently injured by him. One of the first of the victims died from loss of blood.

The assailant subsequently appeared in several provincial towns, and recently made a fresh start in the low quarters of Berlin. The man who has been thus captured is stated to have been the original Ripper.

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EAVES TO SURVEY TEMPLAR CHANNEL

apt. Walbran to Take Soundings and Make Report—Island at Entrance

Among the passengers who left on the steamer Tees last night for Clayoquot was Capt. J. T. Walbran, of the marine and fisheries department, who will conduct a survey of the Templar channel between Tofino and Village, of which the island of Wakemish is at the entrance. He will be about a week and will take soundings in the channel. On his return he will compile a report and forward it to Ottawa.

In his book, "British Columbia Coast Names," Capt. Walbran has been following to say regarding the historical Wakemish island.

The island secured its name from the hereditary name of the great chief of the Clayoquot tribe, in the days of the sea-otter traders, 1785-1810, one of whose principal villages, Chachets, is situated on a small island close to the southward. Wakemish is often mentioned in the old voyages relating to the west coast of Vancouver island, and was, evidently, those days, as great a potentate in the territory as Maguina was at Alaska. He was the Clayoquot chief with whom Capt. Meares made such an excellent bargain for two copper kettles, in June 1788, when paying the old savage a diplomatic visit. The following account of the transaction taken from Meares' voyages:

"The feast being ended, we were asked to show the presents which were intended for the chief: A great variety of articles brought for that purpose, were accordingly displayed, among which were several blankets and two copper tea kettles. The eyes of the whole assembly were riveted to these unusual objects and a guard was immediately assigned to the kettles, who, on account of their extraordinary value and beauty, were ordered to place them in the royal officers, which consisted of large kettles rudely carved, and fancifully turned with human teeth. About ten men now advanced in the middle of the arena, each of them holding up before us a sea-otter skin of near six feet in length, and the most jetty blackness. As they remained in this posture, the chief made a speech and giving his hand in token of friendship informed us that these skins were to return, he proposed to make for us presents, and accordingly ordered them to be sent off to the ship."

At the then present state of the market in China, for which market these sea-otter skins were destined, he value received for the kettles, etc., could be equivalent to \$2,500. The chief, after whom this island is named, was one of the principals from whom Captain Kendrick made an extraordinary purchase of real estate at Hasset, Clayoquot Sound, in August 1791.

VIOLATE IMMIGRATION LAWS.

Senator Remains Outside Three-Mile Limit to Avoid Legal Proceedings.

Honolulu, April 8.—With about 150 Filipino laborers on board, the steamship Senator, recently outfitted in San Francisco to transport laborers from the Hawaiian islands to the Alaska fisheries, was cruising outside the three-mile limit to-day, presumably to avoid legal proceedings. The Senator arrived yesterday and after taking on fresh water suddenly left the harbor. On board are F. B. Craig and J. C. Hall, representatives of the Alaska

PACKERS, FOR WHOM WARRANTS ARE OUT FOR ALLEGED VIOLATION OF THE TERRITORIAL IMMIGRATION LAWS, IN SOLICITING IMMIGRATION WITHOUT LICENSE. An Injunction has been issued to restrain further endeavors on the part of these men to provide Hawaiian labor for Alaska.

The water front is being watched by the police, who are instructed to make arrests if necessary. The Senator is without clearance papers, and an effort will be made to arrest any one coming ashore to obtain clearances.

SHIPPERS GAINING GREAT ADVANTAGES

Withdrawal of Through Tariffs by White Pass Benefits Southern Cities

Vancouver, B.C., April 8.—The action of the White Pass & Yukon railroad in withdrawing its through tariffs on shipments from Vancouver and Puget Sound to points in the Yukon, will result in considerable advantage to shippers. The greatest benefit will be in a reduction of rates. In the past, under through tariff from point of shipment to destination, the rates of the White Pass from Skagway northward have been based upon a charge of \$53 per ton, while under the new local tariff established by the company from Skagway to points north the basing rate will be \$50 per ton.

As an instance of past charges it may be cited that on Class A freight in carload lots, consisting of groceries, hardware, etc., the rate from Vancouver to Dawson was \$60 per ton, while under the local tariff from Skagway the rate will be \$50 per ton from Skagway to Dawson. Under this new tariff the shipper will be distinctly benefited as the basing charge with ocean lines from Vancouver to Skagway is \$5 per ton, with an additional charge of \$1 per ton for wharfage at Skagway, making a total rate of \$56 per ton from Vancouver to Dawson.

The same ocean rate applies to shipments from Puget Sound.

Under the old tariff the local rates of steamship companies from Vancouver to Skagway, plus the White Pass and Yukon route local rates north of Skagway to Dawson, were less in total amount than the through ocean and rail road rates from Vancouver to Dawson.

Incidental to the action of the White Pass in declining to further be party to through rates, Skagway will come to be a closed port to the vessels of steamship companies which were not members of the association of companies quoting through rates. This means that henceforth it will be possible for any steamship company to handle freight into Skagway and, forward it from there to destination over the White Pass at a local rate which will be common to all freight handled over the company's railway and river divisions.

WIRELESS REPORTS

April 8, 8 a.m.

Point Grey—Overcast; calm; misty seaward; 29.91; 54; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Rain; wind S. E.; 29.84; 40; sea rough.

Tatoosh—Cloudy; wind north, 6 miles; 29.26; 40; sea smooth; out, barge 93 at 8 p.m., in tow of Atlas; inside, bound out, 3-masted steamer.

Pachena—Cloudy; wind S. E.; 29.56; 42; sea smooth.

Estevan—Overcast; wind S. E., fresh; 29.47; 42; sea smooth.

Triangle—Rain; wind S. W., 5 miles; 29.12; 34; light swell; spoke Prince Rupert at 7.20 p.m. off Ivory Island, southbound.

Ikedda—Cloudy; calm; 29.60; 36; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Rain; wind S. E.; 29.50; 34; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast; calm; sea smooth.

Noon.

Point Grey—Overcast; wind S. E., light; 29.82; 55; sea smooth; spoke Princess Mary, arrived at Nanaimo on time.

Cape Lazo—Overcast; wind S. E., misty seaward; 29.75; 48; sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Cloudy; wind south 5 miles; 29.88; 44; sea moderate.

Pachena—Cloudy; wind S. E., light; 29.49; 45; sea smooth.

Estevan—Cloudy; wind S. E., fresh; 29.44; 48; sea smooth.

Triangle—Show; wind N. W., 5 miles; 29.09; 35; light swell.

Ikedda—Cloudy; calm; 29.50; 43; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; thick seaward; 29.50; 38; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; wind S. W., light; sea moderate.

VARIED HISTORY OF GLORY OF THE SEAS

Attracted as Much Interest When Launched as Did the Big Liner Olympic

Another chapter was added yesterday to the already lengthy and varied history of the old ship Glory of the Seas, now lying at Esquimalt, when an insufficient number of bidders gathered at the auction sale, which was to have taken place, and Hinkson Siddall, marshal of the Admiralty Court, had to order a postponement until Monday next, when another attempt will be made to dispose of the vessel under the hammer.

The Glory of the Seas, which was built in 1869 at East Boston, was one of the finest specimens of the old American merchantman, "now almost extinct." At the time of her launching she attracted as much interest and excitement as when the great White Star liner Olympic slid into the waters at Belfast recently. The Glory was considered the flagship of the big fleet of merchantmen which flew the Stars and Stripes.

For many years the vessel was employed as a clipper ship in the tea trade between the Orient and Pacific Coast points, and while engaged in this trade won and held many records. A year ago she was purchased from Bates & Chesborough, of San Francisco, by a local syndicate, and it was the intention of Capt. J. W. McDowell, who was largely interested in her, to use her in the hardwood trade in the New Hebrides. This scheme, however, fell through, and then there was some talk of taking her to Cocos Island to seek the hidden treasure. Under the management of local shipping men she made one trip to Unalaska with coal, and has been lying idle ever since her return.

The Glory of the Seas is considered one of the heaviest sailers afloat. Her main yard is 96 feet long and has a circumference of 72 inches. Her hull is constructed of oak and is practically as sound as ever.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

The commanding officer of H. M. surveying vessel Egeria has furnished the following information concerning dangers in Malaspina strait, Welcome pass and Pender harbor:

1. A rock, with less than 6 feet over it, and unmarked by kelp, is located on the western side of Welcome pass, 15½ cables S. 50 deg. E. from the western extreme of Gowland point.

2. A rock, awash at low water and unmarked by kelp, is located on the western side of Welcome pass, 12½ cables S. 54 deg. E. from the western extreme of Gowland point.

3. A rock, awash at low water and unmarked by kelp, is located south-eastward of westernmost islet on eastern side of Welcome pass, 10½ cables S. 72 deg. E. from the western extreme of Gowland point.

4. A rock, with 2 fathoms over it, is located 1 mile S. 70 deg. W. from the south extreme of Martin island, and bears S. 50 deg. E. from the eastern extreme of Channel islets.

5. A rock, which dries 3 feet, is located 4-10 cable S. 10 deg. W. from the rock which dries at extreme low water, situated off the eastern side of Pearson island.

6. A rock, with 6 feet over it, is located 7-10 cable N. 66 deg. E. from the southern extreme of the southernmost Skardoon island, Pender harbor.

7. A rock, with 2 fathoms over it, is located 2½ cables N. 75 deg. E. from small islet situated off the southern side of Mary island, Pender harbor.

8. A rock, with less than 6 feet over it, is located 3 cables S. 40 deg. W. from the southern extreme of Scotch Fir point, and 1 cable S. 17 deg. E. from the easternmost islet off that point.

9. A rock, with less than 6 feet over it, is located 6 cables S. 58 deg. W. from the southern extreme of Scotch Fir point.

10. A rock, with 6 feet over it, is located 1 mile S. 56 deg. W. from the southern extreme of Scotch Fir point.

FRISCO SHIPPING NEWS

Union Fish Co. Purchases Brigantine Galilee for Cod-Fishing.

San Francisco, Cal., April 8.—The Union Fish Company, which a couple of weeks ago purchased the brigantine Galilee, has just added the brigantine Geneva to its fleet, buying her from Anderson & Boves. The Geneva is a little larger than the Galilee, measuring 451 tons net. She was built at Benicia in 1892 and has been lying here for some time. She will outfit immediately for a cod-fishing cruise. The British ship Olivebank, which was bad March 22, had left at Santa Rosalia to San Francisco or Puget Sound for repairs.

The steamer Skipton Castle, now at this port discharging coal, has been chartered for another trip by the Western Fuel Company.

The schooner Admiral, on Gray's Harbor, has been chartered to load lumber for Guaymas by the E. K. Wood Lumber Company.

The Oceanic steamer Mariposa arrived from Tahiti yesterday. The Matson steamer Enterprise from Honolulu and Pacific Coast steamer Queen from the Sound.

Four more salmon vessels cleared yesterday for Bristol Bay, the American-Hawaiian steamer Alaskan cleared for the Sound, and the British steamer Hazel Dollar for Coo's Bay, Puget Sound and China.

COMPLETES SLOW PASSAGE

Barque Belfast Reaches Seattle from Iquique After 32 Days' Run.

Seattle, Wash., April 8.—Seventy-two days from Iquique, Chile, the barque Belfast, Capt. A. W. Walker, arrived in Elliott Bay yesterday afternoon.

The barque has not been in drydock for two years, and her condition, and the fact that she encountered northerly winds, were responsible for her slow voyage.

She was brought into port by the tug Lorne, from Port Townsend.

The Belfast brought four passengers north with her from Iquique, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson, of Vancouver, B.C., and their two little daughters. Mr. Jackson is a wealthy lumberman, and with his family went to Chile a few years ago to look after his South American interests. When Mr. Jackson left for the son, he had four daughters, and lost two of them from malaria. He says the business in Chile is suffering from collapse of the boom, but is good at most of the South American ports. Mr. Jackson and his family left for Vancouver last night.

The Belfast came into the harbor flying the flag of Chile, the first time that flag has been seen in this port for many months.

ENTERING WHALING FIELD EXTENSIVELY

Americans Sending Modern Equipped Vessels to Hunt Mighty Mammals

Seattle, Wash., April 8.—The steam whalers Fearless and Resolute, towing the tank barges Fresno and Sperrin, sailed for southeastern Alaska to-day, and will be followed Sunday by the remainder of the Seattle fleet. The vessels are equipped with powerful wireless apparatus. The whales are harpooned by guns fired from the deck and the carcasses are inflated with acid and towed to the first barge, where the whole carcass is converted into valuable products.

Two whalers are under construction in Seattle, a fleet of five steam whalers has just begun operations off Vancouver island, and a fleet is to cruise off the mouth of the Mackenzie river in the Arctic. Two whalers off Vancouver Island killed nine large humpback whales last year. The whaling industry has attained large proportions on the North Pacific Coast, but it is feared the supply of whales will not hold out. Every vestige of romance has been eliminated from the whaling business by steam, electric and harpooning guns.

MARINE NOTES

Carrying a large general cargo and many passengers, the C. P. R. steamer Amie, Capt. Locke, left last night for northern British Columbia ports. Amongst her freight was a great deal of supplies for the canneries.

Many passengers are coming to Victoria to-morrow morning on the steamer Princess Mary, Capt. Brown, from Nanaimo and Comox. The vessel is also bringing much freight. She is scheduled to sail again on Tuesday morning.

Bringing south many passengers and considerable freight, the Northern Steamship Company's steamer Cetriana will arrive in port to-morrow evening from northern British Columbia points. She will sail again on Monday night.

Laden to her capacity with a full cargo of general freight, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Awa Maru, will leave the outer dock on Tuesday afternoon for the Orient. She is carrying a large quantity of wheat, flour and machinery.

Frank Waterhouse, president of Frank Waterhouse & Co., Inc., operating the Bank line, has returned from the east, where he perfected arrangements for opening branch office for his company in New York and Chicago. Mr. Waterhouse says that the new offices have already begun to show results and that he expects to obtain much cargo which has not been handled by his line in the past.

At the point of a double-barreled shotgun in the hands of Takeo Fukuzawa, an angry Japanese watchman on H. W. Starratt's launch On Time, moored at Ballard, two Sound pirates were driven from the launch Ajax Thursday night after an unsuccessful effort to strip her of her valuable machinery. Mr. Starratt has a number of launches anchored in the vicinity of

the On Time, which is occupied by the watchman. Last night the Jap was awakened by the clanking of iron on the Ajax, and slipping alongside in a dory, with his shotgun he covered the two men, who were disconnecting the engine. The pirates ran for their punt and escaped in the darkness. The watchman did not fire.

The steamship Lonsdale, of the Canadian-Mexican Pacific line, is taking an unusual cargo to Mexico this voyage. She will leave Vancouver to-morrow, coal at Comox and finish loading at this city. Her cargo will consist of 1,500,000 feet of ties and the peculiar feature of the shipment is that they were brought to British Columbia waters from Eureka, Cal., in steam schooners, for trans-shipment to the Lonsdale.

Better weather conditions and the favorable location of coaling stations are factors which have decided Captain Rynning, master of the Norwegian steamship Skogstad, to take his vessel from Portland to South Africa on an unusual route. The big tramp completed a cargo of lumber for the Dark Continent, and she sailed this morning. Instead of going around Cape Horn, a course followed by the majority of the steamers, the Skogstad will make the passage by way of the Orient. From Portland she will proceed to Comox to fill her bunkers before starting across the Pacific. Then she will go direct to Maj, where she will replenish her fuel supply. Her next stop for coaling will be at Sabang, Sumatra, and from there she will clear direct for Port Natal, where a portion of her lumber cargo will be delivered.

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From San Francisco.

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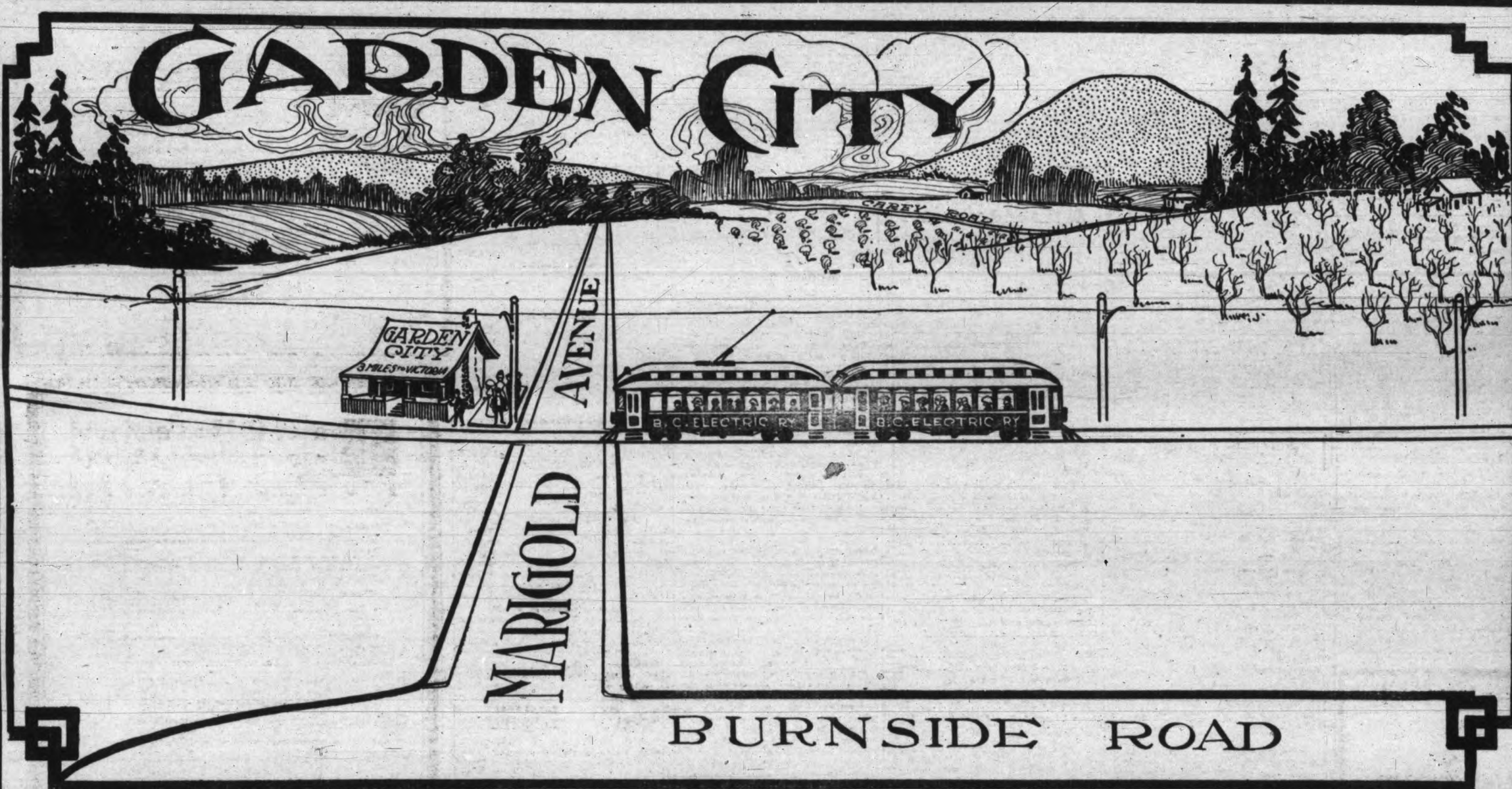
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Johnson Street, just east of Blanchard, lot 60 x 120, on easy terms. \$10,000.

Shakespeare Street, 2 lots, each 50 x 125, nicely situated. \$300 cash on each, balance at 7 per cent. Price each...\$800.

1/2 acre lots, two close to reservoir and on corner. Half cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price for the two...\$2000.

7 room house and lot on Superior Street, close in, lot 60 x 120. 1-3 cash, balance arranged at 7 per cent. Price...\$4000.

Spring Ridge, close to car terminus and new high school site, 8 room house and lot. \$500 cash, balance \$20 per month, including interest at 7 per cent. Price...\$1500.

Victoria Gardens, two waterfront lots, each 55 x 170, all nicely fenced. Price for the two, on terms...\$6300.

San Juan Avenue, one lot 60 x 120, with two houses rented for \$20 per month for the two. One-third cash, with good terms, at 7 per cent. Price \$3000.

Pine Street, Victoria West, close to Craigflower Road. Large lot and new 6 room cottage. \$1,000 cash, balance can be arranged. Price...\$3350.

South Saanich, fronting on new car line, 20 acres, all under fine state of cultivation. Brick house and two brick buildings. One-third cash, balance in two years at 6 per cent. Price...\$12,000.

Fort Street, close to Oak Bay Junction, 8 room modern cottage, and 2 large lots, fruit trees, stables, etc. This is one of the best buys on the market to-day. Price, on easy terms...\$6,000.

McKenzie Street, lots 55 x 141. Permanent sidewalks and street show to be asphalted. One-third cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Price each...\$1,500.

View Street, one lot, 60 x 120, just east of Quadra, with 5 buildings—always rented. \$5,000 cash, balance annually at 7 per cent. Price...\$13,500.

Oak Bay, just outside city limits, 8 room house with 4 large, size lots, good fruit trees, etc., on terms of one-third cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price...\$6,000.

Commerant Street, between Douglas and Blanchard, one lot 60x110 with large cottage, always rented. One-third cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price...\$18,000.

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Rockland Park, King's Road, 1 lot, 50 x 120, commanding beautiful view; no rock. \$200 cash, balance easy. Price...\$750.

Abury Street, Rockland Park, 2 lots, 50 x 120 each. \$300 cash, balance \$25 per month. Price for the two...\$1200.

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Garbally Road—House well built, modern in every respect, furnace, basement, etc., large lot, close to car. Reasonable terms can be arranged. Price...\$3100.

Work Estate—Cottage, 8 rooms (new), all modern conveniences, cement foundation, good basement, large lot, close to park and school. Reasonable terms...\$3150.

Victoria District—Brand new cottage, 4 rooms, all modern conveniences, cement basement and foundation, about one-fifth of an acre of land, close to car. Easy terms. A snap for \$2200.

Shakespeare Street—Nice large lot, splendid soil, all fenced. Reasonable terms arranged. Very cheap for \$750.

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CITY TO TAKE OVER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Cumberland Volunteers Disband and Paid Brigade Will Be Established

Cumberland, April 7.—After a conference with a committee from the city council, the volunteer fire department decided at a special meeting to disband as a volunteer company and hand over the equipment and money to the city which would continue the brigade as paid company, provided the council would agree to certain requests of the firemen.

A committee of three, consisting of Chief Bruce and Firemen Tarbell and Barnes, were appointed to confer with a similar committee from the council.

The committee was appointed to ask for the following concessions: 1. The exclusive use of the fire hall. 2. Firemen to be paid for services as follows: \$1 for first hour or fraction of an hour, and \$2.50 per hour thereafter for fighting fire. 3. The firemen to select their own officers.

GRANT NO LICENSES.

Prince Rupert, April 7.—At a meeting of the license commissioners the bottle license applications were all dropped as they did not comply with the act. The application for a hotel license for the Savoy hotel was likewise not acted upon on the advice of Solicitor Bennett, acting for the city, that the by-law would be violated should the license be granted.

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If you belong to that countless army of women who suffer from some form of female ills, don't hesitate to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs.

WORKMEN PREFER NINE HOUR DAY

Employees of New Westminster Board of Works Petition Council

New Westminster, April 7.—The council was given a surprise at its weekly meeting when a petition from the employees of the board of works department, about forty in number, was received asking to be put on the old nine-hour basis, with Saturday afternoon off, instead of the present eight-hour day system, which started on April 1. It was thought that all grievances were settled by the establishment of the eight-hour day system, but the men seem to prefer an hour a day longer and the Saturday half holiday. At present the men are allowed the half holiday, but without pay. It is thought that the petitioners are laboring under a misapprehension, so the matter was referred to the board of works committee to interview the interested parties. Most of the council are in favor of having the different civic departments work the same number of hours per day.

The benefits of spending money in public work again came up for discussion. The publicity commissioner presented a report of last year's work and expenditure. Out of \$4,000 granted last year there still remains about \$2,000. Of the amount expended, \$1,034.68 was for advertising and the balance for salary, entertaining different manufacturing associations and general expenses, an itemized list of which was given to the council. It was reported that a large number of settlers were coming into New Westminster incessantly as the result of advertising in British papers. After much discussion, a committee, composed of Aldermen Johnstone, Campbell and Gray, was appointed to take the matter up with the local board of trade.

WATERY BLOOD IN THE SPRING

How to Get New Health and New Strength at This Season.

Even the most robust find the winter months trying to their health. Confinement indoors, often in overheated and nearly always badly ventilated rooms—in the house, the office, the shops and the school—takes the vitality of even the strongest. The blood becomes thin and watery or clogged with impurities. Some people have headaches and a feeling of languor; others are low spirited and nervous; still others have pimples and skin eruptions while some get up in the morning feeling just as tired as when they went to bed. These are all spring symptoms that the blood is out of order, and that a medicine is needed. Many people rush to purgative medicines in the spring. This is a mistake. You cannot cure these troubles with a medicine that gallops through your system and leaves you weaker still. What you need to give you health and strength in the spring is a tonic medicine that will enrich the blood and soothe the jangled nerves, and the one always reliable tonic and blood-builder is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills not only banish spring weaknesses and ills but guard you against the more serious ailments that follow, such as anaemia, nervous debility, indigestion, rheumatism and other diseases due to bad blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new, rich, red blood, which strengthens every nerve, every organ and every part of the body, and makes weak, ailing people bright, happy and strong. Mrs. Jas. McDonald, Harcourt, N. B., says: "In my opinion Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do all that is claimed for them. My system was run down, and I was so weak I could hardly do my work, and taking care of my baby added to my difficulties. I used a few boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and they made me feel like my own self. I very cheerfully recommend the Pills to all who are weak or ailing."

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UNIFORM BUILDING LINE SUGGESTED

Vancouver Ratepayers' Executive Will Submit Scheme to Commissioners

Vancouver, April 7.—The idea of establishing a uniform system of building in the residential sections of the city was discussed at a meeting of the Central Ratepayers' executive. It was stated that the good appearance of such sections in which building operations are now proceeding rapidly would be increased if provision was made that the houses must be placed a certain distance back from the property line. In this way a uniform appearance of the entire street would be possible and one owner could not shut out the view along the street from his neighbor. It was stated that such a regulation prevailed in certain sections of Toronto and had met with hearty approval.

In the discussion of the question it was pointed out that there were difficulties in the way as the city might not have the necessary charter powers, and the legislation must be framed carefully to protect the interests of owners of corner lots and parties desiring to erect apartment houses. The plan was finally endorsed and the city hall committee will interview the building commissioner on the subject.

The Kitsilano Improvement Association presented a resolution suggesting that a new city hall be erected on the old hospital site and criticizing the plan of building an office-block on the corner of the present city hall property. This question was laid over for discussion at the next meeting.

S. N. Raine addressed the executive on the construction of septic tanks, outlining a form of work which he said would greatly lessen the nuisance now prevailing in the unserved sections of the city. The plan appeared to have many good points and it was recommended that the idea be discussed with the health committee.

A general advance policy with reference to the placing of signs at street corners, noting the name of the street and the number of the block, was approved.

WESTMINSTER ASSESSMENT.

New Westminster, April 7.—The re-assessment of Westminster is now complete, the figures showing an increase of over four and a half millions above those of last year. The total assessment is \$11,738,825, made up as follows: Land, \$7,247,756; improvements, \$4,491,069; 1910 assessment, land, \$5,239,515; improvements, \$2,006,150.

ENDS HIS LIFE.

Nelson, April 7.—Edward Desaulnier, a prominent business man and an old-timer of Moyle, took his life there on Monday. He was 67 years old. He leaves two brothers and one sister in Moyle and another sister in Montreal. Despondency was the cause.

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CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement Works, authorized by By-Law, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

STREET CLOSED

Notice is hereby given that Fort street between Yates street and St. Charles street will be closed to traffic until further notice.

Re Subdivisional Plans

Persons desiring to obtain the approval of the City Council to subdivisional plans, are hereby notified to submit said plans in the first instance to the Chairman of the Street Committee, Alderman W. A. Gleason, and the City Engineer.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, City Clerk's Office, March 13th, 1911.

Yates Street Corner

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LEGAL FIGHT OVER COMFORT STATION

Applicant for Injunction Claims
City Has No Right to Place
It on Highway

The city clerk was, this morning, served with notice of the intention of the British Canadian Securities Company, to apply to a Supreme court judge on Wednesday morning next for an interim injunction against the continuation of the work at the corner of the causeway and Wharf street, on the comfort station. The injunction is being asked pending the trial of a suit against the city by the company, the object of which will be to prevent the completion of the comfort station on the location where the excavations for it are now being made.

The British Canadian Securities Company is a subsidiary company to the Dominion Trust Company, which proposes to erect a six-story building opposite the post office on Wharf street, and this company is plaintiff in the action, claims that the work on which the comfort station is proposed to be located, and where excavations are now being made, is part of a public highway, and that as such the city has no power to erect the building thereon. A further ground for taking the action is that the building will become a public nuisance, and a special nuisance to the tenants of the company erecting the six-story office building on the adjoining lot, and to the company itself.

Under the present plans for the comfort station building, the vent pipes are to be nine feet above ground. The company seeking the injunction claims that under the city planning by-law the vent flues must be three feet above the roof of the building. It will be argued as part of the case that the vent flues, should the building be allowed to stand, must be continued above the six-story building of the British Canadian Securities Company, when that building is completed.

The initial proceedings were taken this morning by Mr. B. Jackson, of Hanington and Jackson, acting for the British Canadian Securities Company, and notice of the injunction application, and subsequent court action, were served on City Clerk Dowler.

COUNCIL SWORN IN.

Mayor and Aldermen Took Oath of Office This Morning Before Judge Lammiman.

For the second time within three months the mayor and the aldermen this morning swore their duties, the ceremony taking place in the county court before Judge Lammiman.

His Honor, when handing over the seal to the mayor, said: "It is again my duty to hand you the city seal; I think it is becoming a habit." He refrained judiciously from giving an opinion on the habit, contenting himself with expressing the hope that no further contretemps would arise to call the council out of office before the end of the year.

Officials of the Alaska Steamship Company have received word that the first shipment of copper ore from the big Bonanza mine, at Kennecott, had left by special freight train for Cordova and that the steamship Latouche would begin to-day to load the largest and most valuable cargo of copper ore ever sent out of Alaska. The shipment consists of 1,100 tons and is valued at approximately \$225,000.

LOCAL DOGS TRIUMPH AT VANCOUVER SHOW

Charlie Lyndon Reverses Decision of James Cole—Red Wing Takes First

The Vancouver bench show opened yesterday with Charles Lyndon, an expert on dogs from Toronto, awarding the ribbons. Yesterday's judging entailed a distinct triumph for Victoria fanciers, the decisions of Judge James Cole, who officiated here, being reversed in several instances.

Of the English setters, Hickford and Wither's Mailwyd Major took first in the open and winners' class and Arbutus Swallow first in the same classes in the opposite sex. Among the pointers T. P. McConnell's Red Wing was awarded the ribbon over Gatt's King Hickory, in the winner's class, which was given the decision in the local show. Another Victoria pointer, Hickory Queen, owned by E. R. Hill took first in the winner's class in the opposite sex.

LOCAL NEWS

—English fishing tackle at the Victoria Sporting Goods Co.

—A special meeting of the Victoria Nurses' club will be held on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Alexandra club rooms.

—The Society of Friends will meet for worship in the Friends' hall, Courtney street, to-morrow at 11 a. m.; adult school for men, 9.45 to 10.45 a. m.; children's school 3 to 4 p. m.

—Messrs. Russell & Greig have just negotiated the sale to a Victoria man of 60 feet on Pandora avenue, just above the Methodist church. The sum involved in the transaction was in the neighborhood of \$12,000.

—A meeting of all Knights of Pythias will be held in the K. of P. hall on Tuesday at 8 p. m. for the purpose of inauguration and election of officers for the proposed Temple of the Dramatic Order of the Knights of Khorassan. The business is important and all Pythians are asked to be in attendance.

—The Brotherhood of St. Andrew will hold short services for business men in the Broad street hall on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday next, commencing at 12.30 p. m. to 12.55 p. m. The speakers will be the Dean of Columbia, Rev. W. Baugh Allen, Rev. J. G. Miller, and Rev. W. Barton.

—The municipality of Oak Bay has a gang of thirty men at work extending Foul Bay road through from Cadboro Bay road to Lansdowne road. This street will be macadamized, and when completed will run through Dean Heights, part of the Uplands Farm, and the Calin addition. Foul Bay road will then extend to Lansdowne road through to the sea.

—The germ theory of diseases was the subject of a lecture by Professor Alexander in the Broad street hall last night. He described tuberculosis as a house disease, and said its cure was fresh air. Windows should be open, and all rooms thoroughly ventilated every day. Papering walls he said was insubstantial, as also were carpets. To-night he will lecture on "Social Fads."

—At a meeting of the B. C. A. A. U. held last night it was decided that as there were so few delegates present

ent the meeting be postponed and another called for Thursday night next, when the applications for re-instatement of all those who wish to play lacrosse this year will be received.

—Sportsmen, and particularly those who are in the habit of spending the week-end in the country, will be pleased to hear that the old Lakeside hotel, now the Cowichan Lake hotel, has fallen into the capable hands of A. H. Lomas, a well known and popular Victorian.

—Strathcona hotel, Shawinigan Lake, B. C., now open under management of Lucas & Sweeney. Completely renovated and equipped with new electric-lighting system. Expert white chef. Service strictly first class. Write for rates and further particulars.

—Stainer's "Crucifixion" will be given at St. John's Church to-morrow evening after Evensong, by the members of the choir. The bass solos will be sung by Ernest and Arthur Petch, the tenor by Edmund Petch and J. Higgins, and the male voice portions by the "Welsh" Quartette. Appropriate hymns will be sung by the congregation.

—The residence on the corner of Belleville and Menzies street, formerly occupied by Thomas Hooper is being removed to a new site on Kingston street, nearby. J. H. Hawthorthwaite, who recently acquired the property from Mr. Hooper, bought only the land. It is understood that Mr. Hawthorthwaite intends shortly to erect an apartment house.

—E. McGaffey, the secretary of the local branch of the Vancouver Island Development league, has received an invitation to attend the opening conference of the Olympic Peninsula Development league which has just been formed, to address them on the value of co-operative action. The conference takes place on April 21-22. Mr. McGaffey is not yet sure whether he will be in a position to accept the invitation or not owing to stress of business in the local league office.

—Thos. Cashmore, G. M. W., of the Ancient Order of United Workmen; James T. McInroy, grand secretary, and Alex. Stewart, chairman of the committee on finance, proceeded to Vancouver by the afternoon's boat to attend an important meeting of the grand lodge. Dr. Anderson, grand foreman; W. H. Smith, of Ladners, chairman of the committee on laws; and Henry Wilson, also of Ladners, will hold a meeting to-night appertaining to the affairs of the organization.

—The first annual dance given by the East End Athletic association, of which Fred Levy is president, was held last evening in the A. O. U. W. hall, which had been artistically decorated by the committee in charge. About two hundred young people assembled. The music was supplied by the flauty orchestra. At midnight a dainty supper was served, after which dancing continued until a late hour. According to those present it was the banner dance of the season, and speaks well for the future success of the E. E. A. A.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, April 8-5 a. m.—A low pressure area is developing on the northern coast and moving inland to the Kootenays, and will probably cause cloudy and showery weather in these districts. Snow is falling at Prince Rupert, and temperatures west of the Rockies are lower than usual, with frosts at many points. In the prairie provinces the weather continues fair and cold.

FORECASTS.

For 26 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday. Victoria and vicinity—Southerly winds, becoming unsettled, with showers to-night or Sunday. Lower Mainland—Light to moderate

Demand for Coal Exceeds Production!

TO BE IDENTIFIED WITH A PRODUCING COAL MINE MEANS

A HARVEST OF GOLDEN PROFITS

The proposition embraces too many possibilities for early profit to be overlooked or lightly dealt with.

When a property is reported upon by such an eminent authority as Mr. Alex. Faulds, M.E., who states that at a conservative estimate, it contains 36,000,000 tons of coal in one seam alone.

THERE BEING SIX SEAMS IN THE PROPERTY ALTOGETHER.

And that coal may be shipped in six months' time and that the property is close to a market destined to be the most active and most powerful on the Pacific Coast, it should satisfy the average investor. He should have no doubt as to the security offered him and the stability of the whole proposition.

In order that the reader may have some idea as to the enormity of the coal area in the property and the exceptionally low price placed on the same, the 36,000,000 tons would cost the shareholder, providing the whole share capitalization of the company, \$1,500,000, were sold to the public at par, \$1.00 per share, but 5c a ton.

Few Shares Offered at 25c

Only a limited block of stock, however, is offered to the public at 25c per share. This would cut the cost of the coal one-quarter.

Mr. Faulds sets out the fact that at \$1.00 per ton profit to the company, the seam would produce \$36,000,000. Quoting his own words:

"Taking the estimated tonnage of 36,000,000 during the life of the mine, at \$1 per ton, would give a clear profit of \$36,000,000 or \$22.50 for every dollar invested."

"The assembled area of about 8,320 acres reported upon is held under license from the Provincial Government, which includes the coal rights and surface, with unpurchased or unleased timber thereon."

We want the readers of this advertisement announcement to call at the office of the trustee, T. R. Morrow, 617 Trounce Ave., and review the reports of three most eminent engineers, read the prospectus, inspect the maps and samples of coal from the property before passing upon this proposition as an investment.

Bear this in mind that this property, 8,320 acres, fronts on Skidegate Inlet, which is 80 miles from Prince Rupert, which port will surely be one of the greatest markets for coal on the Pacific Coast.

The company's engineer states that coal can be shipped from the property in six months.

Markets and Transportation

Mr. Faulds says: "The output of coal and coke in British Columbia, which is of the utmost importance, is not increasing as rapidly as the market demands. These demands are increasing yearly in excess of the supply, thereby maintaining regular prices, with occasional advances, so that, if the output goes on increasing rapidly for many years to come, it will find an open market."

San Francisco imports 200,000 tons annually from Australia, British Columbia and Japan.

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Canadian Northern, Northern Pacific and Southern Pacific railways and Oregon Railway and Navigation Company.

"Over thirty steamers trading in the Orient and Australia, with Alaska practically at the door, and with the advent last month of the new fleet of steamers on the coast, of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, excellent markets are assured for several thousand tons daily."

"The limiting factors in the production hitherto have been generally the transportation facilities, rather than the collieries, but with your property facilities can be early assured."

The foregoing statements are advanced in order that the reader may more thoroughly comprehend what it should mean to him to be actually identified with a coal company operating, shipping and selling to the local and foreign market.

Great Local Demand for Coal

The completion of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway to Prince Rupert, a few months hence, will cause this port to become one of the most active shipping points on the Pacific Coast. It is impossible to estimate to a ton the thousands of tons of coal required by the hundreds of ships making this port and the fuel necessary for domestic manufacturing and railway purposes at Prince Rupert during the next ten years, because Prince Rupert will surely be as great if not greater than San Francisco, Portland, Seattle or Vancouver.

Prince Rupert, being the terminus of the second largest railway in the world, will be the Pacific outlet for millions of tons of freight and farm produce from eastern Canada and the great prairie intervening, in which there are millions of acres yet to be cultivated and millions of bushels of grain which will be shipped westward through Prince Rupert to the Orient.

It is not necessary to draw upon your imagination as to what Prince Rupert will be since we have in Vancouver to-day evidence of what will surely follow the completion of a Pacific terminus of a transcontinental railway and Vancouver is yet in its infancy.

There are many persons resident in Vancouver and districts tributary thereto who remember quite distinctly "Gas Town," the Vancouver of twenty-three years prior to the construction of the C. P. R. main line to Burrard Inlet. They also remember the rapidity of the growth, wonderful advancement and great development of Vancouver city.

A Few Facts About the Company

The British Pacific Coal Company, Limited, is in a general way, described by its name. It is all-British, operating under a British Columbia charter, which provides for and protects each and every shareholder. The shares are non-assessable and all certificates issued as fully paid up.

It will readily be seen that a company mining and marketing coal which carries from 80 per cent to 84 per cent of fixed carbon, as does the coal from the property of the British Pacific, will not only secure a great advance in price above the average

price of coal for its output, but will be given a preference by the consumers, and manufacturers, since a ton of coal carrying 84 per cent of fixed carbon occupies no more space in the steamboat bunker, the railway tender or the house coal bin than coal having only 45 per cent to 60 per cent fixed carbon.

Add to this the naturally less ash, less clinker, less gas or soot; in other words a greater degree of total combustion.

The coal in the property of the British Pacific Coal Company, Limited, is commonly known as anthracite, which is the character of the coal mined in Pennsylvania and in a number of the old country mines.

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NOTICE

Contractors

A Special Meeting of contractors will be held under the auspices of the Builders' Exchange, of Victoria, Monday, April 10th, at 1115 Government Street, over Armstrong's Store, next to Grand Theatre, at 8 p. m. All contractors and builders are cordially invited to attend. Secretary-Treasurer, W. J. COX.

ADVERTISE IN THE VICTORIA DAILY TIMES



During the next fortnight Victorians will have four attractions of the highest class offered for their appreciation and enjoyment. On Tuesday next comes "The Merry Widow," once more, with Mabel Wilber and the jolly comedians who have delighted us of late. On Thursday Gertrude Elliott will appear here for the first time in "The Dawn of a Tomorrow," a tender, delicately-written little play by Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett. Miss Elliott is an actress of great power and sincerity and comes here with high praise for her work as the wife of Apple-blossom court.

In the week following there are two two-night engagements booked. Marie Dressler, a popular comedienne, will come to Victoria for the first time, bringing "Tillie's Nightmare," in which she is said to be making a great success. Following her will come "Madame Sherry," one of the thoroughly good musical comedies which are making their way into popular favor through their musical excellence.

Freight legislation is no novelty in state legislatures across the line. A recent instance is a bill introduced in the New York House of Assembly ten days ago, which prohibits the impersonation of the Deity in theatres or places of amusement—a thing, needless to say, never attempted—or the use of any name which is reasonably referable only to the Deity. Assemblyman Foley, of New York City, who introduced the bill, accepts no personal responsibility for it, as he has been careful to add "by request" to his name on the document.

Such an act, if passed, would bar from the stage in the Empire state dramas like "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" and "The Servant in the House," which are of the highest moral quality, dignified in treatment and in presentation. It is not at all likely, however, that this misguided attempt to "elevate" the stage will meet with success.

The municipal dramatic censor has got loose again, this time in Boston, where "The Easiest Way" was ordered withdrawn when presented at that city's leading playhouse. As is usually the case, the censor has acted in the wrong case. It is pretty thoroughly known that "The Easiest Way" deals with sordid and vicious personages living their lives in their own way; deals with them in a grim, cold, dispassionate play. As a piece of play-writing it is almost perfect, no matter what view one may take of the subject matter. That the modest might be shocked at what they would learn from this play, of a seamy side of life is quite likely; it is utterly inconceivable that anyone could be corrupted by it.

In this case a playwright who treated of vicious personages and sordid lives in a serious, moral and artistic manner finds his work banned. But in crude farces, musical plays, burlesques

In some, even, of a more respectable and ambitious character—the same matters are referred to by way of innuendo, double entendre or allusive suggestion, and we never hear of the municipal censor condemning these. The playwright, the player, the producer, can be as vulgar, coarse, suggestive, indecent even, as he pleases so long as his aim is merely to make us laugh; if his desire is to make us think then his play is "detrimental to public morals." This attitude reminds us of the people who would drape the Venus de Milo and who at the same time see no similarity in the use of the female form for many advertising purposes where it is shown in as clear outline as in any marble.

A Montreal advocate, Germain Beaulieu, claims the practical authorship of "Two Women," in which Mrs. Leslie Carter is appearing—and which, by the way, was passed by the censor in Boston last week. He says it infringes the copyright of a play written by himself and entitled "The Living Vision," and he further alleges that Mrs. Carter has the manuscript of the latter, never having returned it to him. His legal attempts to prevent the performance in Montreal were fruitless, however.

Maxine Elliott has suddenly left the stage and gone to Europe, where she says she intends to stay for two years at least. She has not given any reason for her summary resolution. If Mrs. Elliott's histrionic abilities were but equal to her ambition and industry—were she as good an actress as she is undeniably a beautiful woman—it is possible that her retreat from the field would not have been decided upon.



Mabel Wilber's Career.

Mabel Wilber, who will play the title role in "The Merry Widow" on Tuesday, April 11, at the Victoria theatre, is credited generally as the best of the numerous prima donnas who have appeared in this famous role under the managerial direction of Henry W. Savage.

Miss Wilber's first public appearance as a singer occurred when she was nine years old and a pupil at St. Mary's school, Rochester, N.Y., where she appeared in a musical piece with a boy of her own age singing a duet called "Under the Old Umbrella." One year later a little fair-haired, blue-eyed girl, modestly appeared on the platform of the old Washington rink in Rochester to sing, with the childish treble of ten years, "Kissing Pop Through the Telephone," and then, giggling nervously in response to a vociferous encore, she picked out a Spanish serenade on her tiny mandolin.

At the age of twenty-six, Mabel Wilber, the fair-haired tot of sixteen

years ago, is the fascinating "Merry Widow" of to-day, the youngest prima donna who has ever sung the charming role.

Miss Wilber was born in Lockport, N.Y. Her parents moved to Rochester before she was two years old. As she grew older her voice developed, and when she was sixteen years of age, the Wilbur-Kirwin Opera Company came to Rochester for a short repertoire season. During their engagement some members of the company stopped at the home of John Lenahan in Rochester. The Lenahan and Wilbur families were friends, and during a visit to the former one Sunday night, Miss Mabel sang for the professional folk.

Struck by the rich quality of her voice the players arranged an appointment for Susie Kirwin, prima donna of the opera company, to hear Miss Wilber sing. The result was that Miss Wilber's parents and gained their consent to Mabel's appearance in the chorus of the organization during its Rochester season. Her vocal and

didactic composition, but the natural interest that attaches itself to her theme is enhanced by a dramatic plot, and a fund of human comedy and pathos. The character that has been assigned to Miss Elliott is that of "Glad," a waif of the London streets, who has come naturally to a philosophy that has descended from the scholar in his den, the preacher on his pulpit, to the man and woman of the world—the philosophy of inherent optimism that has brightened lives, and has taken off the bitter edge of misfortune and disaster. The earnestness and sincerity with which this little waif clings to her ideas, in spite of all that happens, stamps the part as one of Mrs. Burnett's masterpieces of characterization. What it is in Miss Elliott's hands, no one who knows the work of this clever artist needs to be told.

The New Grand Theatre.

There is a regular five-act bill with moving pictures and orchestral selections for the Grand next week, and



TROVELLO
The Man Who Touches High Water Mark in Ventriloquism, at the Grand Theatre Next Week.

dramatic future loomed so promisingly that she remained with the company and was appointed understudy to Miss Kirwin, whose leading roles Miss Wilber sang on several occasions during the first season of her professional career. After two years with the Wilbur-Kirwin Opera Company, Miss Wilber joined the forces of Henry W. Savage and was given a small role in "The Sultan of Sulu," whence she was subsequently transferred to "The Prince of Pilsen."

When "The Prince of Pilsen" invaded England, Mr. Savage selected Miss Wilber as a member of the troupe, and she played for six months in London. Returning to this country, she was engaged by DeWolf Hopper as his prima donna in "Happyland," and after a year with this production she appeared as prima donna with Richard Golden in "The Tourists." She next appeared in "The Song Birds," a vaudeville skit, burlesquing the grand opera rivalry of Heinrich Corried and Oscar Hammerstein. After this engagement she returned to the managerial direction of Henry W. Savage and was assigned to "The Merry Widow." In this remarkable operetta Miss Wilber sang every feminine role until she was given an opportunity in the titular part.

Her success as prima donna was so decided that Mr. Savage placed her at the head of the picked organization which made a trans-continental tour from New York to San Francisco last season, and this year placed her at the head of his chief company, playing "The Merry Widow."

Miss Wilber was married a year ago to Madison Corey, treasurer and general manager of Henry W. Savage, Incorporated. As Mr. Corey is one of the young theatrical managers, for whom a big future is predicted, and as Miss Wilber undoubtedly possesses rare dramatic and vocal ability, there is little doubt that within a few years her name will be permanently fixed in the Milky Way of the theatrical firmament.

Gertrude Elliott in "The Dawn of a Tomorrow."

An attraction that should recommend itself to local theatre-goers is Miss Gertrude Elliott (Mrs. Forbes Robertson) in Frances Hodgson Burnett's latest play, "The Dawn of a Tomorrow," which is scheduled for Thursday, April 13, at the Victoria theatre.

This will mark Miss Elliott's first appearance here. She is on her first tour as a star by herself, though she has visited America twice as co-star with her famous husband. Yet before she married Forbes Robertson, Miss Elliott, an American girl by birth, gave promise of becoming one of the foremost of the younger generation of English stars. Her success in Mrs. Burnett's play, in which she appeared in London for an entire season, proved the greatest triumph of her career. There are but few American actresses who possess her unusual capabilities, and practically none of those who rival her in capability possess her added advantage of youth. In addition, Miss Elliott has a very competent company in her support.

While the actress has striven to make her play the vehicle for ideas that will appeal widely to the serious-minded theatre-goer, assurances are given that it is not a hard and dry

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Carl McCullough.—A burlesquer of stage performers. He is not an imitator like many others. What the artist does in caricature on paper, McCullough does in person. He was with McIntyre and Heath in "Hayti," and was a success.

Norton and Russell.—A front rank vaudevillean and a dashing little comedienne, with a protean novelty change act, the like of which has not been seen on the Sullivan and Conside circuit this year. The act is full of beautiful stage pictures, good costuming and singing.

Walker and Strum.—Clever Australian tennis racket jugglers, who infuse an amount of grotesque comedy into the performance, and assume many imitable postures, continuing their juggling all the while. It is an act from Australia, whence many other good acts have come, after playing the Australian music halls all last summer.

Sheffield Choir.

For the entire cost of the six months' musical festival of the British Empire which opened in Montreal on March 27, and in the course of which the Sheffield Choir will visit Victoria on May 17 and 18, Dr. Charles A. E. Harris is alone financially responsible. He has already spent eight years in developing musical reciprocity through the Empire which, he says, is Empire-making.

"By the time the Sheffield Choir sails from England for Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Cape Colony, and from South Africa home, it will have taken me just ten years to get round the world with my project," added the doctor. "This movement has already cost me over £10,000, besides my gratuitous service. I ask but the sympathy of the people in my work as a champion of colonial expansion, and their support and co-operation whilst in this portion of the new world when the time arrives. 'The Canada, which has been my adopted country for the past twenty-seven years, will pilot me through this fair land of the maple

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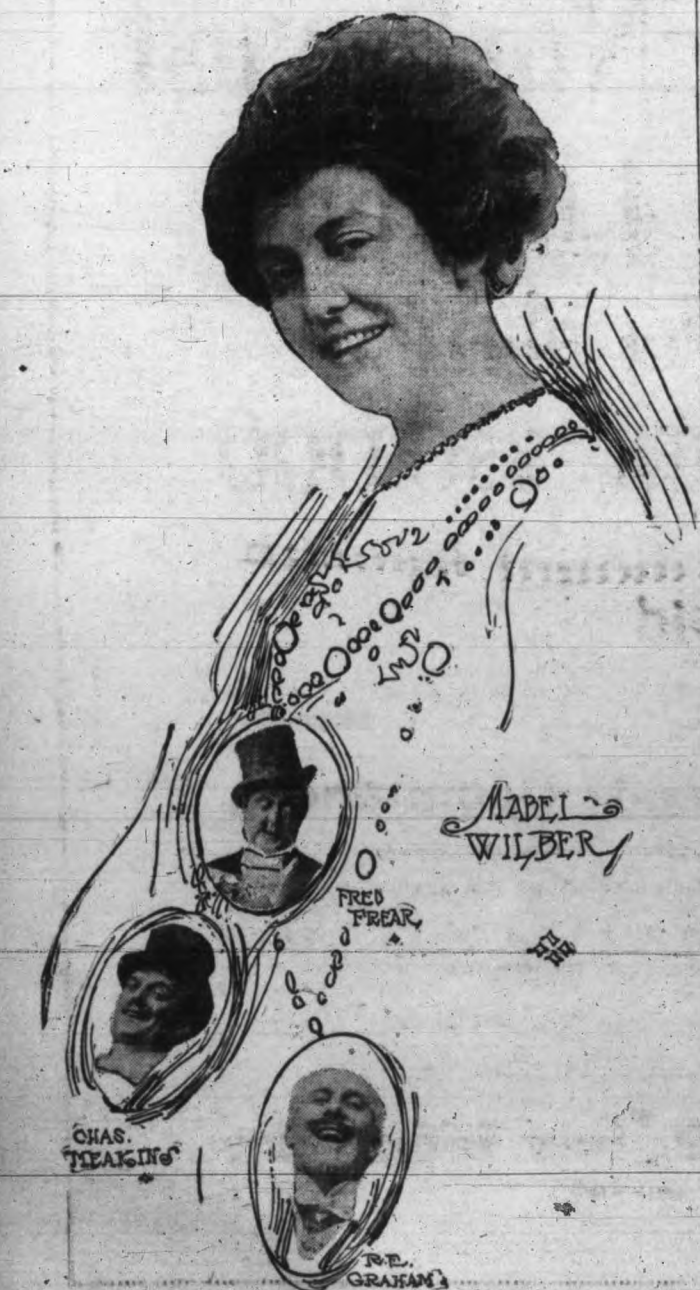
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OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary H. Bennett took place to-day, at 3 p. m., from the Christ Church cathedral, where numerous friends were assembled. The Rev. H. A. Collinson conducted the services. Interment was made in the Ross Bay cemetery.

The death occurred early this morning at the St. Joseph's hospital, of Fenton Fred Costin, aged 42 years. The deceased had been ill but a few days and was taken to the hospital yesterday. He was well-known in Victoria, having for a number of years conducted a bicycle business at 574 Johnson street. He is survived by a wife, living at 2509 Government street. The remains have been removed to the B.C. Funeral Furnishing Parlors, pending funeral arrangements. The late Mr. Costin was born at Baie Vert, N.B.

The death occurred Thursday night at the Jubilee hospital of Alexander Rowden, aged 36 years, and a native of this city. The deceased is survived by two brothers and one sister. The remains have been removed to the B.C. Funeral Furnishing Parlors, pending funeral arrangements. The funeral will take place from there on Monday at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Ross Bay cemetery.



To the Editor:—We are writing the editors of our Dominion asking their co-operation in securing help for the famine-stricken Province of Anhui and Kiangsu in China, where nearly three million people are destitute and perishing.

The conditions there are appalling. The harvest was all destroyed by the terrible flood, and no food can be had from the soil until June or later. Many villages were entirely swept away and the people left homeless and in dire distress. Multitudes gather together in great camps; those who are strong enough wander over the hills, pulling up roots of weeds for fuel in cooking the pittance of rice they may receive from the relief agencies. The suffering is terrible. Thousands of tottering old ladies, boys and girls clad in rags—if clad at all—are about everywhere; old men and women hobble about leaning on sticks for support, or lie by the wayside, their eyes staring up in mute appeal. Many thousands have perished, and it is estimated that over a million will die unless help is immediately sent.

The Chinese consul-general at Ottawa writes that the distress is indescribable. The honorary secretary of the distributing committee in Shanghai cables that the famine area is larger than at first believed. Bishop White, of Honan, cables an urgent appeal for help.

The one hundred thousand dollars asked from Canada to help meet this awful situation should be easily and immediately secured. One dollar and fifty cents will save a human life. How many lives will your readers save?

The editors of our country can do more than any other class to assist in this work. We ask you to make a strong appeal through your paper, making use of this letter as you may think necessary. Noting that His Excellency Earl Grey, His Honor, the Lieut.-Governor, J. M. Gibson, and the Hon. Sir James Whitney are giving this movement their hearty support. We suggest that in making the appeal you give your readers the alternative of sending contributions direct to the treasurer of the central committee, Mr. S. J. Moore, 445 King street West, Toronto, or sending to you, and that in the latter case you acknowledge all such contributions through your columns, and remit weekly to the treasurer, Mr. Moore.

Trusting that in response to this cry of suffering humanity you will do all you can and that we may receive a reply from you, and a copy of the paper containing your first appeal.

On behalf of the committee, we are, Yours sincerely,
W. A. CHARLTON,
Chairman.
J. H. GUNDY,
Secretary.

WHAT FIGURES PROVE.

To the Editor: You are unfair in editorially attributing statements to me not contained in my letter of yesterday. The return of the Dominion auditor-general to which you refer, which, presumably without investigation on your part, you prefer to accept in preference to any other statement on the subject, I expect, however, that the question of the accuracy of the figures on either side is not so much an issue as the way they have been applied to suit the respective objects of the province and Dominion. For instance, I have no doubt that the cost of the C.P.R. in B.C. is charged to the province as a local expenditure. As the transcontinental railway was a national undertaking for national purposes, it would be just as fair to charge the huge cost of the canal system to the province of Ontario, or to divide the cost of a Canadian navy between the maritime provinces and B.C. In the statement prepared for the province, such items as the expenditure on account of militia, the administration of the Indians, the Esquimalt dry dock and quarantine, which are purely national services, have been charged to the province, so that the statement is more than fair to the Dominion. There is, however, a more effectual way of showing the disparity which has been set out in the provincial case and about which there can be no dispute. In customs revenue alone, the province for years contributed three times the average per capita contribution of the whole of Canada in the same way. Possibly, if you would take the trouble to carefully consider these matters you might at least be able to modify such strong expressions as "falsehood" applied to the case on behalf of British Columbia.

R. E. GOSNELL.

RUMMAGE SALE TO-DAY.

The rummage sale in aid of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society, which was commenced yesterday in the Institute hall, was continued to-day. The ladies who are responsible for the make-up of the sale are to be congratulated upon the unstinted success which is meeting their efforts.

All the articles on sale, and they cover a very wide variety indeed, have either the merit of being supremely useful or highly ornamental, so that no one need lay the flattering unction to his soul that for what he gives he receives nothing in return. In the event of anything remaining on hand when the time schedule of the sale is reached it will be sold by auction. Everything on sale is in perfect condition and thoroughly clean.

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IN POLICE COURT

Edward Bywell, formerly accountant at the Empress hotel, was presented before Magistrate Jay in the police court this morning upon an information containing thirteen charges of embezzlement from the C. P. R., the sums totalling about \$2,000. Bywell elected trial before the magistrate and was remanded until Monday morning. The C. P. R. was represented by E. V. Bodwell, K.C. The charges against Bywell are laid on money received from the cashiers of the different departments of the hotel, which Bywell was supposed to have paid into the hotel accounts at the Bank of Montreal.

E. G. Warner was given the benefit of the doubt in an automobile speeding prosecution. He claimed he was hurrying to a drug store at Oak Bay junction, to obtain medicine for his wife, who was next day taken to the hospital. The magistrate said that while each case should stand on its merits, he thought if accused had speeded he might be excused.

Y. Morika, waiter at a Japanese restaurant, was sent to jail for a month, this morning on a charge of stealing \$10 from the proprietor of the restaurant. He levanted with the money to Vancouver and was brought back.

SLACK WATER—ACTIVE PASS.

April, 1911.

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Christ Church Cathedral.
Holy Week.—The special services arranged for Holy Week at the cathedral are as follows: On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday next there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 7.30 a.m. and evening service at 8 p.m. On Good Friday there will be a special service at 10.30 a.m. and the service of the Three Hours from 12 noon to 3 p.m., when addresses will be delivered by Dean Doull. At 8 p.m. there will be a service of special character appropriate to the day.
Sunday Services.—To-morrow morning the sermon will be preached by the Rev. Dean Doull on the subject, "The Cross of Christ." As this is Palm Sunday the services will be appropriate to the occasion.

St. Barnabas.

Holy Week Services.—On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion. On Monday this will be held at 7.30 a.m. and the members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrews of the city will meet on this occasion for their corporate communion service. The other mornings the celebration will be held at 8 a.m. On Good Friday the celebration of Holy Communion will be held at 9 a.m., and there will be a morning service with sermon at 11 a.m. followed by the Service of the Three Hours, from 12 noon to 3 o'clock. Each evening during the week there will be an evening service commencing at 7.30, when the pastor, Rev. E. G. Miller, will conduct, with meditation on the "Events of the Week."

Mission Services.—During this week a successful parochial mission has been held, services commencing each evening at half-past seven. On Monday the preacher was Rev. J. H. S. Sweet; Tuesday, Very Rev. Dean Doull; Wednesday, Rev. R. Connell; Thursday, Rev. A. J. S. Ard; Friday, Rev. W. Baugh Allen. This evening the sermon will be preached by Rev. J. W. Flint, of Saanich. The attendance at each of the services has been good and much interest has been taken in the mission.
Vestry Meeting.—The vestry meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 26, when the annual reports will be presented and some important matters relative to the rectory and to the proposed new church will be discussed.

Brotherhood of St. Andrews.

Daily Prayer Service.—Next week the members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrews will hold a daily prayer service in the Broad street hall from 12.30 to 1 p.m. This meeting will be of an interesting and helpful nature, and the brotherhood will welcome all who can make it convenient to attend these meetings.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL.

Church of Our Lord.
Sunday Services.—The pastor, Rev. T. W. Gladstone, will conduct the services to-morrow. In the morning his subject will be "The Elder Brother," and in the evening, "What Christ Has Given—His Words," John 17:8.
Holy Week.—The services for next week are as follows: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, service at 3.30 p.m. with address by the pastor on Wednesday. On Thursday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, there will be a special service in remembrance of the Institution of the Lord's Supper, and Christians of all denominations are cordially invited to take part in this service. On Good Friday there will be a service at 11 a.m.

CONGREGATIONAL.

First Church.
Y.P.S.—On Monday evening next H. J. Pollard will give an address on the subject, "The Sins of the Church" in connection with the regular meeting of the Young People's Society.
Men's Own.—The regular meeting of the Men's Own will be held next Tuesday when the pastor, Rev. H. A. Carson, will give an address on "The Significance of the Resurrection of Christ."
Teachers' Meeting.—On Wednesday evening next there will be a meeting of the teachers and school in connection with the executive committees of the adult Bible classes of the school. It is hoped that every member of the executive committees will be present, as it is the intention to increase the efficiency of the present Sunday school organization, and the co-operation of all is earnestly desired.

PREBYTERIAN.

First Church.
Congregational Social.—On Monday evening next the members of the Young People's Guild and the adult Bible class will entertain the members

of the congregation at an enjoyable social evening. An excellent programme is being prepared and refreshments will be served.
Ladies' Meeting.—Last Wednesday afternoon there was a good attendance at the regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid and Woman's Missionary Societies held at the home of Mrs. J. G. Brown. Some important items of business were discussed and the outlook for the current year's work is most encouraging.
Pastor's Holiday.—The board of management of First church have agreed to grant to their pastor, Rev. Dr. Campbell, two months' holiday, to be taken at such time as it may suit his convenience this summer.

Easter Services.—The choir are preparing special music for the Easter services, and an effort will be made to mark the coming Easter festival as one of the most helpful and inspiring in the history of the church.

St. Andrew's.

Palm Sunday.—To-morrow being Palm Sunday the services will be appropriate to the day. The pastor, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, will conduct the services both morning and evening.
Easter Sunday.—The choir, under the direction of Joseph Longfield, are preparing a special programme of music for the service on Easter Sunday evening. A most interesting and inspiring service is anticipated.

St. Paul's, Victoria West.
Pastor's Anniversary.—The twenty-fifth anniversary of the settlement of Rev. D. MacRae as pastor of St. Paul's church will be celebrated on Easter Sunday, April 16. There will be special services in honor of this event, as well as in remembrance of the great event of Christian history. The Rev. Dr. MacKay, the popular principal of Westminster Hall, Vancouver, will preach both morning and evening. On Wednesday evening, April 19th, a banquet will be held in the hall in honor of Mr. and Mrs. MacRae, who have endeavored themselves to the congregation and to the whole neighborhood by their devotion and long service in the cause of humanity. Mr. MacRae is to be congratulated upon the success which has attended his efforts, and it must be particularly gratifying to him to remember that this year of his silver anniversary the congregation has undertaken many forward movements. A fine new two-manual organ has recently been installed in the church, and when finished nearly \$2,000, has been added to the church equipment. Mrs. MacRae has worked faithfully for the success of the church, and her work will be remembered also as helping in no small measure to the success of her husband's ministry. The congregation have granted Mr. MacRae an extended holiday, and he will shortly leave for the south for a well-earned rest.

METHODIST.

Metropolitan.
Epworth League.—The annual election of officers took place last Monday evening with the following result: President, R. T. Pendray; 1st vice-president, Miss Elliott; 2nd vice-president, H. Watson; 3rd vice-president, Miss E. Bailey; 4th vice-president, A. Willis; secretary, Miss L. Moore; treasurer, Miss Logan; organist, Miss R. Bailey. In connection with the league a mission study class has recently been organized which is doing splendid work. For the present the class is studying history, manners, customs and religions of China. Meetings are held each Wednesday evening and the attendance is most encouraging.

Illustrated Lecture.—On Monday, April 17, R. Sparling, of Vancouver, will give an illustrated lecture on the Yellowstone National Park. The lecture will be illustrated by 110 beautifully colored slides specially prepared by the official park photographer. The lecture was recently given before the Women's Educational Club of Vancouver and attracted a large audience, who were delighted with the beautiful views shown and by the travel talk given by Mr. Sparling. The lecture here will be under the auspices of the Epworth League.

Easter Thank Offering.—Next Wednesday evening the annual Easter thank offering will be held at the Methodist Missionary Society. The ladies are calling the evening "Thank offering and at home." A most attractive programme has been prepared, including a group of illustrations of St. Peter's "Crucifixion," a reading by Mrs. Glenon, songs by Mr. Turner, piano selection by A. R. Dobson, and also items by other well known local artists. The members of the congregation and general public are being cordially invited to this event and refreshments will be served.
Missionary Canvass.—One of the direct results of the splendid missionary address given last Sunday evening by J. Campbell White, of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, is that a canvass of the congregation is being made in the interests of the weekly offering for missions. Some twenty-five volunteers have taken names of members of the congregation and have waited upon them to solicit increased interest in missionary work. There will be a meeting on Monday evening next to report the result of the canvass.

Sunday Services.—The pastor, Rev. T. E. Holling, will preach to-morrow both morning and evening. In the morning his subject will be "Popularizing Religion," a sermon appropriate to Palm Sunday, and in the evening, "The Story of a Sinful Woman's Love."

Good Friday.—Public worship will be held in the church on Friday morning next at 11 o'clock. The public are cordially invited to attend.

James Bay.

Epworth League.—There was a good attendance at the regular meeting of the Epworth League last Monday evening and an inspiring address was delivered by the Rev. T. W. Gladstone on "The Story of Nebuchadnezzar."
Bazaar.—Next Wednesday afternoon and evening the Ladies' Aid Society will hold a novelty Easter bazaar in the school room of the church. Afternoon tea and 8 o'clock lunch will be served, and in the evening there will be an interesting programme.

BAPTIST.

First Church.
Address to Young People.—An enjoyable and profitable meeting is anticipated for Monday evening. The young people of First church have invited the members of the Metropolitan Epworth League to join with them in listening to an address by Rev. J. B. Warlicker on the subject, "The Art of Public Speaking." Following this a social hour will be spent and refreshments partaken of. A large attendance is looked for.

Missionary Tea.—For Thursday evening next the Women's Mission Circle have assumed responsibility. At 6.30 o'clock tea will be served by the ladies to which all members of the church and congregation will be welcomed. Following this an interesting missionary address will be given and a short musical programme provided. During the evening a thank offering will be received in the interests of the missionary fund.

Ladies' Aid Society.—The members of the Ladies' Aid Society are actively engaged in preparing for a handkerchief and plan sale to take place on the evening of May 3rd. Unique invitations have been prepared and are being distributed. Further notice will appear in subsequent issues.
Sunday School.—The regular meeting of the teachers and staff of the home school was held last Tuesday evening in the church building. Matters of interest to the school were under discussion and among other things it was decided that the staff of the school would lead and direct the prayer meeting on the last Thursday evening of this month.

Philathea Class.—On Wednesday evening the members of the young ladies' Philathea class were delightfully entertained at supper by their teachers. Mrs. C. Spofford. Following this a business session was held and the semi-annual election of officers took place. The officers elect are: President, Miss Olive M. Pryce; vice-president, Miss H. Smith; secretary, Miss E. Alery; assistant secretary, Mrs. Williams; treasurer, Miss H. Anderson; reporter, Miss L. Davies. Convenors of committees: Social, Miss Appleyard; membership, Miss E. Taylor; missionary, Miss L. Shaw. The members of the class cordially invite all young women to meet with them in their class room at 2.30 o'clock each Sunday afternoon.

Emmanuel.
Sunday Services.—Rev. W. Stevenson will preach on Sunday morning on "The Scandal and Glory of the Cross," and in the evening on "My Two Years' Experience of Victoria." Children's talk in the morning will be "The Silver Crown." The pastor is leaving after Sunday for a trip to California, and will be absent for some weeks.
Young People's Union.—Monday night at 8 o'clock will be an evening with Mendelssohn by A. Johnson.

PROGRAMME FOR THE B. C. CONFERENCE

The Twenty-Fifth Session Will Open on May 11 in Vancouver

The twenty-fifth session of the British Columbia conference will assemble in Sixth Avenue Methodist church, Vancouver, on Thursday, May 11, at 9.30 a.m.

The ministerial session will convene on Wednesday, May 10, at 9.30 a.m. The stationing committee will meet on Monday, May 8, at 2.30 p.m. The statistical secretaries will meet on Tuesday, May 9, at 2.30 p.m. The Sunday School and Epworth League committees will meet on Wednesday, May 10, at 7 p.m.

Conference Anniversaries.
Missionary Wednesday, May 10, 5 p.m. Addresses by Rev. A. C. Farrell, B. A., assistant secretary for foreign missions; and Rev. E. W. Morgan, superintendent of Oriental work in B. C.
Reception service, Friday, May 12, 8 p.m. Resolution moved by Rev. B. H. Raley, and seconded by Rev. W. A. Gifford, B. A. Address by Rev. George Jackson, M. A., Toronto.
Temperance and moral reform, Monday, May 15, 8 p.m. Addresses by Rev. T. Albert Moore, D. D., general secretary, temperance and moral reform department, and Aid. H. H. Stevens, Vancouver.

Sunday school, Tuesday, May 16, 8 p.m. Addresses by Rev. S. T. Bartlett, general secretary S. S. and E. L. department, and E. S. Learn, Esq., Vancouver.
On Thursday, May 11, a grand concert will be given by the choir of Sixth Avenue church, under the direction of Wm. Hicks, Esq., proceeds in aid of the Mountain View Methodist church. A series of morning devotional meet-

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ings will be held, commencing Thursday, May 11, 9 a.m., when addresses will be delivered by the Rev. George Jackson, M. A., of Toronto.

Sunday Services, May 14.
11 a.m.—Conference Love Feast, led by Rev. A. E. Green.

During the afternoon, Rev. S. D. Chow, D. D., general superintendent, followed by ordination service conducted by the president of conference.

3 p.m.—Open session of the Sunday school; address by Rev. Robert Hughes. 7.30 p.m.—Sermon, Rev. J. W. Graham, D. D., general secretary, educational society of the Methodist church. Wesley church, a.m., Rev. George Jackson, M. A.; p.m., Rev. Dr. Chow. Mount Pleasant, a.m., Rev. T. A. Moore, D. D.; p.m., Rev. G. Jackson, M. A.

Kitsilano, a.m., Rev. R. J. McIntyre; p.m., Rev. S. T. Bartlett. South Kitsilano, a.m., Rev. R. W. Hibbert, M. A., D. D.

Central, a.m., Rev. J. W. Graham, D. D.; p.m., Rev. T. A. Moore, D. D. Grand View, a.m., Rev. S. T. Bartlett; p.m., Rev. J. Robinson, B. A. Mountain View, a.m., Jas. F. Dimmick; p.m., Rev. S. J. Thompson. Grace, a.m., Rev. T. W. Hall; p.m., Rev. E. Manuel.

Dundas, a.m., Rev. C. W. Whitaker; p.m., Rev. C. R. Sing. Trinity, a.m., Rev. J. P. Westman; p.m., Rev. O. M. Sanford. Ferris Road, a.m., Rev. W. P. Ewing. B. A.; p.m., Rev. Jas. Hicks. Robson Memorial, a.m., Rev. G. H. Raley; p.m., Rev. J. W. Davidson.

Freeman, a.m., Rev. C. F. Connor. Lynn Valley, Rev. Wm. Vance, B. A. Collingwood, Rev. F. J. Rutherford, B. A.

Vancouver, South (Wilson Road), Rev. J. W. Miller, B. A. Suggestions of the Business Committee. 1. Instructions to secretaries of districts. District secretaries are requested to send to the secretary of conference, care of Rev. E. W. Stapleford, B. A.



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All resolutions, memorials, etc., from districts, must be referred to conference before the close of the morning session, May 12th.

2. General order of business for each session.

(a) Devotional.
(b) Reading minutes of previous session.
(c) Communications.

(d) Business as per discipline and as arranged by business committee.
(e) Announcements and closing.

3. Daily agenda.

Monday, May 8th, 2.30 p.m.—Stationing committee.
Tuesday, May 9th, 2.30 p.m.—Statistical committee.

Wednesday, May 10th, 9.30 a.m.—Ministerial session, 7 p.m., Sunday School and Epworth League committee.

Thursday, May 11th—General session; 9.30 a.m., roll call and election of officers; 11.30 a.m., meetings of committees for organization; 2 p.m., conference Sacramental service; 3 p.m., reception of fraternal delegations. Will those wishing to introduce visitors to conference kindly notify secretary of name of visitor and church or society represented.

Friday, May 12—9.30 a.m., general session, 11 a.m., meetings of committees; 2 p.m., report of Temperance and Moral Reform committee; 3.30 p.m., report of Epworth League committee.

Saturday, May 13—9.30 a.m., general session; 11 a.m., meetings of committees to complete reports.

Monday, May 15—9.30 a.m., general session; 2 p.m., report of Columbian College board of management; 3.30 p.m., Church Union debate.

Tuesday, May 16—General session. 1. That the hours of session be from 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and from 2 to 5.30 p.m.; evening meetings to commence at 8 o'clock.

2. That the general conference rules of order be followed, as far as they may apply.

Travelling Arrangements.
The usual arrangements have been made with the C. P. R., E. & N., G. N. R., and G. T. P., by which convention rates are given to delegates attending the meetings of the British Columbia conference and the B. C. branch of the W. M. S. It will be necessary for all delegates, both ministerial and lay, and ladies, to buy full first-class ticket to Vancouver and secure a standard receipt for the same, in order to participate in the reduction. Tickets may be purchased on these terms on and after May 4.

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Over Seventeen Hundred Persons Transferred to Steamer Without Mishap

Lone Hill Saving Station, Long Island, April 8.—Daybreak to-day showed the wrecked steamer Princess Irene in a position which varied only a few degrees from that of yesterday. The efforts of the tugs at high tide and the action of a veering wind had swung her nose a little further off shore. The passengers all safely landed.

The work of lightening the cargo began at 7 o'clock. With fair weather it was expected that a considerable portion of the cargo could be moved in 48 hours.

The transfer of the 1,720 cabin and steerage passengers from the Irene to the deck of the Prinz Friedrich Wilhelm occupied five hours and ten minutes. The feat is unparalleled in the history of marine disasters.

Not a life was lost, nor a case of panic was reported. The first passenger off was a woman, and the second a baby. The cabin passengers generally gave precedence to the more numerous steerage passengers.

Ten small boats, two tugs and the relief ship took part in the rescue, while a revenue cutter and a derelict destroyer stood by. The steerage passengers were led down by the forward companionway, then clambered down a rope ladder into small boats. From these they were transferred to the tugs John J. Timmins and John Nichols, which lay safe in the lee of the liner. With the steerage passengers out of the way and the wind and sea down, the tugs made fast alongside and took the cabin passengers directly aboard from a rear companionway.

FIRST PROMENADE CONCERT.

There was a comfortable crowd of musical enthusiasts who found their way in to the Drill hall on Thursday evening, on the occasion of the first of the promenade concerts given under the auspices of the Fifth regiment, C. G. A. The programme began with the assembly, which took place at the corner of Yates and Government streets, the entire band of thirty-five musicians marching through the streets to the measure of their own playing.

The programme proper in the Drill hall, was a most ambitious arrangement, and the best tribute that can be tendered the musicians, individually and collectively, is to say that nothing finer from a musical point of view, has been heard in the city for a long time. The audience seemed to share this view, for encores were the order of the day.

The following artists assisted the band: Miss Beck, R. B. McKenzie, W. C. Nelson, Prof. Hodges and Master Townsend, Miss Cochran acted as accompanist.

That sprightly march, Michael's "Adolphe," served as an ingratiating number. Immediately in its trail followed a grand selection from Tann-

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PREPARING TO**ATTACK REBELS**

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killed. The fighting continues outside of city and the federalists are reported trapped by a band of rebels in one place.

Will Attack Rebels.

Cananea, Son., Mex., April 8.—One thousand Mexican federal soldiers, including cavalry and infantry regulars, volunteers and Yaqui Indians, arrived in Cananea last night by special train from the scene of the recent fighting in the vicinity of Hermosillo. The troops are commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Diaz, Commandant Barron and Prefect Chiapa. The troops were rushed here for the purpose of taking the field against rebels who only a few days ago occupied the town of Arizpe near here. They will be sent to Arizpe from Cananea at once well armed and with their experience in the Ures and Agua Prieta engagements are regarded as the best fighters the country has.

Barron was reported to be at Ures and his appearance here to-day is the first definite word that has come from him since the fighting around Hermosillo.

Diaz Must Retire.

Madero's Camp, Bustillos Estate, near Chihuahua, April 8.—What he declared to be his ultimatum on the question of peace was announced by Francisco I. Madero yesterday. While still insisting that President Diaz be retired and the country be given a new election, Senor Madero said he was willing to resign as "provisional president," and if necessary would allow a provisional president to be selected from the Diaz cabinet.

MAYOR MORLEY**ONCE AGAIN VICTORIOUS**

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Mr. Northcott ruled that he could not count these votes.

Then Mr. Dilworth wanted the recount, which resulted in both himself and Mr. Peden securing 408 votes, while Mr. Langley's total remained the same.

Two ballots, one marked with a cross which spread across the ballot, but was evidently intended for Mr. Peden, and the second on which stood the word "yes" was placed in the space opposite Mr. Peden's name were validated by the returning officer.

Mr. Dilworth objected to these being admitted and Returning Officer Northcott finally decided to admit the two ballots claimed by Mr. Dilworth, again bringing the two contestants equal.

Following the customary practice, Mr. Northcott declared the former occupant of the office, Mr. Peden, elected on a casting vote. Mr. Dilworth expressed himself satisfied with this ruling.

The result of the ballot in the mayoralty contest proved a severe blow to the opponents of Mayor Morley, as all day their hopes of success had been at a high pitch. But Mr. Bannerman's showing in a contest of a remarkably good one, in view of the fact that he did not get into the contest until the very last minute.

With elections in all wards except Ward Three, which returned W. A. Gleason and W. F. Fullerton by acclamation, the contests were made all the more certain by the presence of three candidates nominated by the Voters' League. The system known as plumping was largely employed by the supporters of these third candidates. Thus in Ward Five, no less than 147 ballots were marked for Mr. Dilworth alone, neither of the other two candidates securing a mark, and Mr. Moston's name was the only one to appear on 174 ballots in Ward Two; and the third candidate in the other wards profited in a similar way. The results in detail were:—

MAYOR.

Alfred J. Morley	2,134
Alexander M. Bannerman	1,454

Majority for Mr. Morley

Mr. Morley's plurality over W. E. Oliver at the January election was 530. Total ballots cast, 3,583; last election, 4,358; spoiled ballots, 15. Last election, 33; total possible vote, 4,473; last election, 7,282.

ALDERMEN.

Ward One. Last Election

George A. Okell	313	259
William McK. Ross	268	231
Robert Beard	253	233

Total ballots cast, 317; last election, 686; spoiled ballots, 2; last election, 14.

Ward Two.

W. H. Russell Humber	474	422
Harry A. Bishop	466	566
John Moston	419	414

Total ballots cast, 813; last election, 932; spoiled ballots, 2; last election, 19.

Ward Three.

William A. Gleason and W. F. Fullerton were returned by acclamation.

Ward Four.

Herbert M. Fullerton	423	319
William C. Moreau	205	332
Angus McKeown	207	166

Total ballots cast, 435; last election, 591; spoiled ballots, none; last election, 20.

Ward Five.

William H. Langley	423	440
Alexander Peden	409	452
John Dilworth	408	434

Total ballots cast, 611; last election, 934; spoiled ballots, 6; last election, 15.

FATAL FALL.

Spokane, Wash., April 8.—Floyd Garvey, 34 years old, son of A. J. Garvey, editor of the (Spokane) Republic, was instantly killed yesterday by falling over a cliff on Snake river, near Clarkston. He landed head foremost on the rocks, crushing his skull.

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Under the last militia orders published by the department of militia and defence, reference is made to the organization of Company "B" of the High School Cadet Corps, and the officers of the company are gazetted.

Leut. Mulcahy, R. C. G. A., their instructor, addressed the corps on Monday last on this official recognition of the organization and appointment of the officers, who are as follows:—

Company "A"—Captain, John W. D. Dowler; first lieutenant, David V. V. Stevens; second lieutenant, Lionel S. Yulle.

Company "B"—Captain, Francis C. Hanington; first lieutenant, William J.

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CANADIAN NORTHERN WORK IN PROVINCE

Tenders for 163 Miles of Railway Will Be Called for Next Week

Vancouver, April 8.—Mackenzie, Mann & Company on Tuesday next will call for tenders for the construction of an additional 163 miles of the Canadian Northern Railway from Hope to the crossing of the North Thompson river at Kamloops. Bids will be received up to May 12 next, and the work, which will be awarded in four sections, it is stipulated, must be completed within two years from the date of the signing of the contracts. The tenders include clearing, grubbing, grading, bridges, trestles, culverts, masonry and fencing.

R. T. G. Holt, executive agent of the Canadian Northern in British Columbia, left here this morning for Toronto to confer with Sir William Mackenzie and Sir Donald Mann on business in connection with the proposed work. The surveys for the section embraced in the future contracts are virtually completed.

The official advertisement will call for the construction of four sections as follows: Hope to Boston Bar, 40 miles; Boston Bar to Lytton, 23 miles; Lytton to Ashcroft, 44 miles; Ashcroft to Kamloops, 51 miles.

It is estimated that the most of construction of this 163 miles will total about \$15,000,000, as some of the work will be among the heaviest in the annals of Canadian railway construction. For instance, between Hope and Kamloops numerous tunnels aggregating a total of two and three-quarter miles will have to be driven. The longest will have a length of 2,400 feet. It will be located on the north side of Kamloops lake, at Battle Bluff. The next longest will total 2,000 feet. It will pierce a mountain near Yale. A great deal of construction along the Fraser river, especially in the canyon, will cost \$200,000 a mile, but the average cost for the entire distance is expected to vary from \$30,000 to \$100,000 a mile.

Although no official announcement has yet been made, it is believed that tenders for the building of the main line northward from Kamloops to Yellowhead Pass will also be called for at an early date.

FIRST VISIT HERE OF LINER LUCERIE

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Much Larger Than Other Bank Liners and Finely Equipped

One of the most modern freighters afloat with considerable accommodation for saloon passengers as well as steerage, the new Bank liner Lucerie, Capt. Mathie, arrived at the outer wharf this morning after having completed her maiden voyage across the Pacific in the Oriental trade. The steamer arrived at the William Head quarantine station yesterday morning and was detained by the officials there until the expiration of the usual 15 days' notice after an outbreak of smallpox and came up to the dock early today.

The Lucerie, which was built by Russell & Co., at Port Glasgow, was launched from their yards last November. After her trial trips she left the Clyde and proceeded to New York to load a general cargo of freight for Manila and other points in the Far East. After discharging the cargo on her arrival in the Orient she commenced to take on her cargo for Victoria. The trip across from Japan was accomplished in fine weather, except for a little fog and rain during the first stage of the journey.

Although resembling the other vessels of the Weir line plying between this port and the Orient, the Lucerie is much larger than the other steamships, and is better equipped in every manner. She is constructed on the shelter deck type, and in her spacious holds can stow cargo amounting to nearly 12,000 tons. She is 460 feet in length, 32 feet deep, 57 feet in breadth and has a gross tonnage of 6,536 tons.

She is propelled by a single screw driven triple expansion engine, and on her trial trips averaged fourteen and a half knots an hour, although she is only to make twelve knots on her regular runs. Steam is furnished by four Scotch boilers, and her indicated horse-power is 3,000. There will be few of the big vessels plying in the Oriental trade that will be able to show the Lucerie anything in the way of speed, as there are hardly any that can make the 14½ knots clip and maintain it for any distance.

Her saloon apartments are well furnished and 20 passengers can be accommodated in these quarters. The staterooms are all splendidly equipped with all modern conveniences, and the comfort to be found on this new liner represents the latest that steamship have produced. She can easily accommodate 800 passengers in her storage compartment, where the passengers can find much improved quarters over those on other liners.

With her numerous bulkheads the vessel is rendered practically unsinkable, and in case of any accident the safety of the passengers and crew has been provided for. On her boat deck are large metallic life boats which could accommodate many persons, and the life-rafts, belts and buoys are numerous. She is the first of the Weir boats which has visited this port that have been equipped with wireless telegraphy. She has a powerful plant aboard and is capable of keeping into communication with the land when many miles out to sea.

When the Lucerie was in the Orient a Chinese member of her crew fell overboard and was drowned. Two of the local detectives boarded the steamer this morning—a report having been received here that a robbery had taken place aboard her while at Hongkong. This was, however, discovered to be no truth in the report.

The new vessel brought to this port as freight 200 tons of general Oriental freight. She has about 2,000 tons for Vancouver and Seattle. Her silk cargo consisted of 300 bales, valued at approximately \$200,000. Among the passengers who arrived on the vessel were six sailors, who debarked here, and fifteen steerage. She proceeded to Vancouver late in the afternoon.

BUFFALOES IN ALBERTA.

Edmonton, April 8.—Edward Ellis, superintendent of Watright buffalo park, has submitted his annual report to the Dominion parks commissioner. In the park at the present time, he says, there are 800 buffaloes, seven elk, 35 deer, and three antelopes. During the year 110 buffaloes were added by natural increase. The loss was but seven. There are now at elk park, Lamont, 48 head of buffalo, and at Banff 24, which makes a total number of bison in captivity in Alberta of 881.

DIVORCED COUPLE RE-MARRY.

Visalia, Cal., April 8.—Peter Leonard, aged 60 years, a wealthy retired lumber dealer, of Tacoma, yesterday re-married Julia A. Leonard, aged 43 years, the wife from whom he had been divorced ten years ago. Whether by their own efforts, or through the schemes of match-making friends, the couple were made members of an automobile party which has been touring California for the past five months. The companionship appears to have been mutually agreeable, for when the party reached this city from Bakersfield, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard escaped from the society of their friends and appeared at the county clerk's office after lunch. They then hurried to the office of a justice of the peace, and went through the marriage ceremony which re-united them after a separation of ten years. A few minutes later they joined their unsuspecting friends, and departed for Fresno, where they will remain for several days before returning to their home in Tacoma.

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Oatmeal, 25-lb. sack 2.50
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Wheat Flakes, per packet 1.50
Whole Wheat Flour 10 lb.40
Graham Flour, 10 lb.40
Graham Flour, 50 lb. 1.75
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Celery, per doz. 1.00
Cauliflower, per doz. 1.00
Grapefruit, per box 2.00
Lemons 2.00
Rhubarb, per lb.10
Lettuce, per crate 1.50
Oranges, Navel, case 2.75
Onions (Australian), per cwt. 2.00
Potatoes, per ton 30.00
Parsnips, per sack 2.00
Tomatoes (Mexican), per crate 2.25
Florida Tomatoes 4.75
Turnips, per sack 1.00
Haddies, per lb.10
Kippers, per lb.10
Halibut, per lb.10
Salmon, per lb.10
Trout, per lb.10
Almonds, per lb.10
Chestnuts, per lb.10
Filberts, per lb.10
Peanuts, roasted30

Walnuts, per lb.10
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Figs, per lb.10
Cucumbers (hot-house), per doz. 2.50
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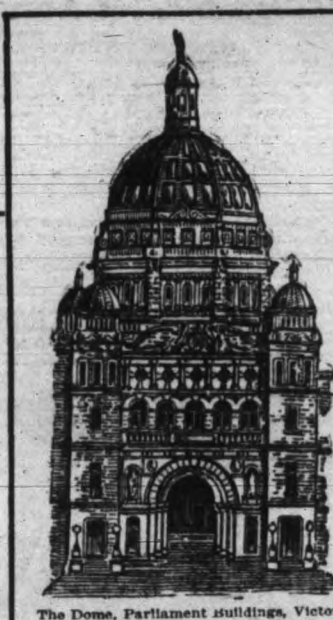


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4. Saved By Her Prayers (Pathe).
5. Seal Hunting Off Peru (Edison).
6. The Wrong Road (Pathe).
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BY RUTH CAMERON



"There are more things in Heaven and Earth, Horatio, than are dreamt of in your philosophy." "Well, I don't believe there is anything in hypnotism or telepathy or any of those tomfool things. The whole kit and boodle of them are nothing but fakes, gotten up to please a public that's crazy to be faked."

With an air of having settled the whole matter, the speaker, a young newspaper man, sat back in his chair and eyed the rest of the group.

In the group, besides the young newspaper man, were the man-who-thinks, the writer-man, a professor of psychology and two or three women. They had been discussing the performance of a non-professional hypnotist who was personally known to the professor.

At the delivery of the conversational bombshell noted above, the man-who-thinks started to speak, then bit it back, the writer-man lifted his eyebrows, and the professor inquired very mildly, "You have been studying into this matter? You have read something that convinced you?"

The disbeliever snorted at that: "Well, hardly. Never had time to waste reading that sort of stuff. But I've seen enough about these exposed fakes in the newspapers to convince me it's all nonsense. Take it from me, it's all faking, mighty cleverly done, maybe, but faking just the same."

"You are surely a hard and fast materialist, etc.," admitted the professor, courteously—he is as noted for his courtesy as his learning—and turned the conversation into other channels.

All of which I have related for this reason. The first speaker is a type.

A type of the ignorance that without having read or studied or investigated any of the phenomena connected with the psychic powers of man, feels qualified to announce boldly that he knows that all supposed manifestations of these powers are fakes, and all people interested in investigating them are fakers.

If you bring up the subject of hypnotism or clairvoyance or spirit communication in a group of people you will notice that it is always the ignorant one who speaks up promptly and says he does not believe in anything of that sort.

The men and women who are readers and thinkers and who have, consequently read something on these subjects, though they may not be believers, do not feel qualified to express such sweeping views.

Twenty-five years ago if anyone had told you that a man claimed to be able to send a message from a ship fifty miles out at sea to the land, you would probably have said "He must have some accomplice on the land. It is a trick."

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Who knows but that the black art of yesterday will be the commonplace of to-morrow and telepathy and clairvoyance may seem no more wonderful twenty-five years from now than the wireless telegraph and the moving pictures of to-day?

The next time you go to the library, suppose instead of bringing home an armful of novels, you get one good scientific book on some of these subjects.

If you do I think you will be repaid both in immediate interest and in subsequent breadth of view.

I don't promise you will be convinced of anything.

But I do think you will be ready to say: "This is a very wonderful world. There are many things in it that I do not fully understand."

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

W. A. Lewthwaite, Victoria, is at the St. Francis, Vancouver.

A. E. Tulk, Vancouver, spent several days in Victoria this week.

W. J. Morris went over to Vancouver last night on the Princess Royal.

Mrs. W. Irwin, Vancouver, is spending a few days in town at the Empress.

Miss Fullerton, Hollywood Crescent, has returned from Southern California.

R. N. Ferguson was one of the Vancouver visitors from Victoria this week.

Capt. French left on the Princess Royal last night on a trip to Vancouver.

E. A. Morris has returned to Vancouver after spending several days in Victoria.

Mrs. C. A. Steele, Victoria, is making a visit with friends in Vancouver this week.

Hon. Price Ellison returned yesterday from a three weeks' visit to his home in the Okanagan.

Mrs. A. R. Langley, 1404 Harrison street, will receive on the first Thursday of each month.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wallerton, Spokane, are visiting relatives at Oak Bay, and will spend Easter in town.

E. W. Bradley, assistant city clerk, who has been laid up for several weeks with pleurisy, has resumed work again.

Miss Robertson, Vancouver, who has been visiting Victoria as the guest of Mrs. R. G. Tatlow, has returned home.

Mrs. F. O. White was hostess yesterday afternoon at her pretty residence on Summit avenue at a tea given in honor of Mrs. Edward White and Miss G. White, who are shortly leaving for England on a visit.

Mr. Edgar Newton Brown, Vancouver, and Miss Virginia M. McIlwaine, San Francisco, were married last evening by the Rev. W. Leslie Clay at his residence. Mr. and Mrs. Brown are spending the honeymoon in Victoria and are at the Empress hotel.

The seventeenth annual Primrose dance of the Companions of the Forest will take place in the A. O. U. W. hall on the 29th inst. Nothing is being left undone by the committee in charge to make the affair one of the best yet given. An excellent musical programme will be rendered.

Sir Donald Mann will probably be a visitor to Victoria next week. He will be here in connection with the Canadian Northern railway developments on the island and will probably remain a few days. He will leave in time for the coronation ceremony in London, at which he will be a guest.

Count Jacques de Lesseps, who recently married Miss Grace Mackenzie, daughter of Sir Wm. Mackenzie, of the Canadian Northern railway, has been awarded the \$10,000 prize in connection with the recent aviation contest at New York, two other competitors being disqualified. Unconfirmed reports say that Count de Lesseps will settle in Canada and join R. J. Mackenzie in Winnipeg in connection with the Canadian Northern railway work. The Count and Countess are spending their honeymoon in Egypt, where Lady Mackenzie and her other daughter are also at present.

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Says There Will Be Trouble If
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Friends of Ferrer

Madrid, April 8.—The continuation of the debate on the Ferrer case in the chamber of deputies yesterday was responsible for an exceptionally turbulent session. The Socialist leader, Pablo Iglesias, raised a storm by saying that although he could not resuscitate Ferrer, he would try to overthrow the administration which refused reparation to the friends of the murdered man.

"The affair," he said, "would not end there. Then he shouted:

"Do not be surprised, deputies, if justice is denied, to hear the clash of arms."

After the president had tried in vain to make Iglesias withdraw his words, Premier Canallas sprang to his feet and said the government would oppose with all its energy and all the force the law provided any attempt at revolutionary violence.

ANCIENT DOCUMENTS.

People of Great Britain Very Careless of Priceless Parchments.

An ancient document relating to the agreement between King John and the barons at Runnymede has been found in a sack in the record office in London. That was the historic meeting that laid the foundation of England's constitution in 1215.

This information came from Sir Henry Maxwell-Lyte, deputy keeper of the public records, in evidence before the royal commission that is considering what is to be done with Britain's ancient records.

Sir Henry has been secretive about his find, for it happened a quarter of a century ago, when he discovered one hundred sack of documents connected with the chancery court that had been pitched into a corner. A short examination of one sack revealed the priceless bit of parchment connected with the signing of the Magna Charta.

Until recent years the public record office was the home of mud and neglect. Valuable documents had a way of disappearing and then re-appearing in private collections. Much damage was done to the unique contents of a cellar through flooding. There is a story, too, of a cart that broke down in the street on its way with documents from Somerset House to the record office, and of the contents going astray. Plans of unlisted documents remain to be investigated by painstaking searchers, among them several bundles of the secret Star Chamber proceedings, large quantities of which have never been opened. It is only last year that an American was given a munition sack to pore over, and he found startling Shakespearean parchments.

The general indifference of ordinary Londoners to the documentary evidence of their past is astonishing. For years after the dissolution of the monasteries, according to J. H. Green, the manuscripts of the monastery libraries were used by local storekeepers to wrap their goods in. And to-day there lie in many an unused apartment old things that rich collectors would pay big cheques to possess.

Even present day bearers of ancient titles are not always aware of the extreme value and interest of their antiquarian possessions. Judge by the experience of the Earl of Creterfield. This nobleman sold his Holme Lacey estate two years ago. The contents of the house were catalogues and the experts who did the work discovered in a neglected part of the mansion a very rare and valuable suit of sixteenth century armor damasked with gold. On the representations of a dealer, who called the earl's attention to its value, the armor was withdrawn from the public sale and sold to the dealer for \$10,000.

This matter has just been the subject of a lawsuit, the earl claiming that the ancient relics were obtained through fraudulent representation. But the point is that even a belted earl knows little about the trappings of the past, so it is not to be wondered at if average Britishers care not a cent about musty documents that are neglected even by their paid custodians. There is hope for the earl, however, for the court has restored the armor to him, and he will doubtless study it with quickened interest.

WATCHED MURDERER.

Remarkable Story Illustrating How
Red Tape Works in France.

An extraordinary story of French rural police methods comes from Pont-carre, a little summer resort situated on the edge of the Forest of Armainvilliers, where a tramp murdered an old woman, the proprietress of a small inn. Her neighbor, hearing the old woman's screams, instead of giving the alarm went off to fetch her husband in a village nearly a mile away, leaving the woman to her fate.

The husband thought he had better tell the local watchman, and went off to the latter's house. The watchman in his turn decided he must inform the mayor, who was working at M. Etouard de Rothschild's chateau, which is in the neighborhood. The mayor immediately set out for the scene, accompanied by the watchman, a commercial traveller from Paris who happened to be in the village, and a local wine shop-keeper.

Through the windows of the murdered woman's inn they could see the murderer rifling the upstairs rooms, but the mayor refused to act until the gendarmes arrived. When the tramp came downstairs the party saw him stepping over his victim, who lay dead in a pool of blood. Only after the violation of public order had twenty minutes did the watchman decide to take action, crying, "Open in the name of the law!" and beating on the door. But the murderer opened a back window and escaped easily into the black depths of the forest. He has not been captured.

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The Passing of the "Old Grotto"

Stewart Williams & Co. Duly instructed by Seth Chamberlain, Esq., will sell by Public Auction, at the "Grotto," on the Premises, Troncon Avenue, on

MONDAY, APRIL 10

At 11 o'clock, the whole of the

Fittings, Glassware, Etc.

Including: First-class Walnut Bar and Counter (the latter with Copper Fittings), Steam Luncheon Counter (with Copper Fittings), Dinner Wagon, a large quantity of Glassware, Flower Glasses, Heater, Linoleum, first-class Electric Fittings, Curtains, Portieres, Leaded Doors and Window Screens, Chairs, Tables, Cupboards, Engravings, Oil Paintings, Pictures, W. C. and V. inals, Spoons, 50 ft. Home, Writing Desk, good safe, "Monarch" Range No. 8, Cooking Utensils, Crockery, first-class Brass Bar Rail and other goods too numerous to mention.

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WATER CRESS, just picked, bunch.....5¢
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NICE CAULIFLOWERS, each 20c and.....15¢
NICE GREEN ASPARAGUS, lb.....15¢
NICE ASPARAGUS also, for, lb.....10¢
FRESH PORK PIES, each 60c and.....40¢
FRESH MADEIRA or FRUIT CAKES, each 75c and.....25¢

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All articles in the sale will be guaranteed absolutely as represented.

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Duly instructed, will sell by Public Auction at their Mart, 637 Fort St., on

Tuesday, April 11th

At 2 o'clock, a quantity of

Household Furniture Etc.

Including: Three solid Oak Sideboards, Sofa, upholstered in leather; Morris Chair, carved Chinese Hall Table, 2 carved Chinese Chairs, first-class Gramophone (with 50 records), 2 Office Desks, 2 Office Chairs, Iron and Brass Bedsteads, Mattresses, 3 Ranges (in good order), 2 Bureaus and Stands, large Mirror, a number of good Chairs, 3 Rockers, Piano by Broadwood, 3 wooden Bedsteads, oak Extension Table, 2 Centre Tables, Empire Typewriter (in good order), 2 zinc Wash Tubs, Heaters, Folding Bed, Crockery, Cooking Utensils, etc.

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MEXICAN SITUATION.

El Paso, Texas, April 8.—It was learned yesterday that peace pourparlers, temporarily in relapse, by reason of misdirected telegrams and code message confusion, have not been abandoned, but with the clearing up of communications loomed larger than ever.

The two Maderos, respectively father and brother of Francisco I. Madero, Jr., the insurrecto commander-in-chief, Rafael Hernandez, the so-called go-between, and Roque Estrada, attorney for Don Francisco, the younger, maintained their silence of the last week, but from an authentic source it was learned that they will leave here by automobile for San Antonio, Chihuahua. At this place the rebel leader has established headquarters.

The government has furnished perfectly satisfactory assurances of its safety. The authority for the foregoing points out that the visit is absolutely unofficial. The quartette, in their personal capacity only, will seek to impress the insurrecto leader with the broader view which, in the field, among his own enthusiastic following he cannot be expected to retain. Primarily it will be necessary to impress him with the view that to prevent anarchy Porfirio Diaz must remain at the head of the government for some months at least.

It is a ticklish point, and the one of all others over which there is probability of a disagreement before an armistice can be arranged.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

At Sacramento— R. H. E.
Sacramento..... 2 8 2
San Francisco..... 1 7 1
Batteries—Berry, McLeod and Thomas; Miller and Schmidt.
At Los Angeles— R. H. E.
Portland..... 7 0 0
Vernon..... 2 4 2
Batteries—Steele, Koestner and Kuhn; Carson, Stewart, J. Sheehan and Brown.
At San Francisco— R. H. E.
Oakland..... 3 10 1
Los Angeles..... 0 4 2
Batteries—Wieg and Mitze; Creiger and Abbott.

GAME DECLARED OFF.

Inspector Forbids Hills and Capitals Use of Ward Park on Sunday.

That the Capitals and the Hills cannot play a game of baseball at the North Ward park to-morrow was the ultimatum handed down to-day by the police inspector. Practicing may be done on Sunday, but no games played. The difference between the two is hard to define, but still the ruling must be abided by.

THE LAST OF AN OLD HOME-STEAD.

So rapid has been the increase in population in Victoria during the past two or three years, and so great has been the demand for residential lots that almost every available piece of acreage in the city limits has been subdivided and disposed of. In the process many old landmarks have disappeared, many historical homesteads are no more.

One which has most recently disappeared is the old "Homeestead" on the Fairfield road, adjoining Hollywood Park, and known as "Pinewood." This proved to be one of the most popular subdivisions which have been put on the market for a long time, eighty per cent. of the lots being sold within two or three days. This can be accounted for by the fact that it was so exceedingly close in, that it has the street railway running along its entire front, and that it has also the convenience of sewer, electric light, telephone and water.

Of course, the prices at which the lots were put on the market were probably the biggest factor, as is unusual to have an average sized lot with all these conveniences, close to the sea beach, and with a splendid view of the sea and mountains, put on the market for \$750 each, and with such a ridiculously low payment as twenty per cent.

There are only five or six of these lots left, and they will be on sale only until Monday noon, when the price will be raised to \$850.

In other words, they will then all be taken over by Mr. Cuthbert, who put the subdivision on the market, and who feels that at \$850 they are just as good an investment for him as he can get in any part of the city.

The following donations are gratefully acknowledged at the Aged Women's Home for February and March: Christ Church rectory, cake; Mrs. Irwin, clothing; Mrs. Watts Jones, one dozen boxes of apples; Mr. Forrest Angus, apples, and Mr. Drury magazine; The Dancing Club, per R. P. Windt, cakes and sandwiches; Mrs. Cole, magazines; Mrs. Holland, invalid's table; Mrs. Saunders, reading matter; Mrs. Major Wilson and Mrs. McTavish, eggs.

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Think what a poor chance he would have if his framework was so recklessly put together as some of your furniture.

It's hard now-a-days to keep the standard of furniture.

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Furniture manufacturers who make good, substantial furniture at low prices are not common; yet we make it our business to get in touch with the few uncommon ones.

That's why all furniture from this store is distinctive, in good taste and built to last.

Dining Room Furniture

That is Made to Last, Latest Styles, Reasonable Prices. Here

Are A Few of Our Prices

We Have Extension Dining Room Tables From \$7.50

TABLES TO SUIT YOU IN STYLE AND PRICE.

EXTENSION DINING ROOM TABLES, in solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish, 10x48 and 8x48, with handsome pedestal with beautifully shaped and carved legs, round top, \$50 and.....\$47.00
EXTENSION DINING ROOM TABLES, in solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish, 48x8, 5 square legs.....\$25.00
EXTENSION DINING ROOM TABLES, in fumed oak, 8 ft. x 45 in., 6 square legs. Price.....\$30.00
EXTENSION DINING ROOM TABLES, in Empire oak, Early English finish, 8 ft. x 44 in., 5 square legs.....\$18.00

EXTENSION DINING ROOM TABLES, in solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish, round top, 5 square legs, 8 ft. x 44 in. Price.....\$30.00
EXTENSION DINING ROOM TABLES, in fumed oak, 8 ft. x 48 in., square pedestal style, round top.....\$45.00
EXTENSION DINING ROOM TABLES, in fumed oak, 8 ft. x 44 in., square top, 5 leg pedestal, very handsome.....\$42.00
EXTENSION DINING ROOM TABLES, in solid quarter cut oak, golden finish, round top, square pedestal. Size 8 ft. x 48 in. Price.....\$45.00

China Cabinets

CHINA CABINETS, in solid quarter cut oak, golden finish, 14x27, with 5 shelves.....\$20.00
CHINA CABINETS in fumed oak, 15x40, 4 shelves with mirror in first two shelves, copper trimmings.....\$40.00
CHINA CABINETS, in Empire oak, Early English finish, 14x32, 1 mirror at back of first shelf, pretty trimmings.....\$20.00

CHINA CABINETS, in solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish, 14x27, 2 mirrors in first two shelves, with glass door. Price.....\$25.00
CHINA CABINETS, in solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish, 15x32, with 4 shelves, top of glass doors in squares, giving a very artistic appearance.....\$25

Sideboards

SIDEBOARDS in Empire oak, golden finish, top 19x45, mirror 14x24.....\$15.00
SIDEBOARDS in Empire oak, golden finish, top 19x44, glass 14x26.....\$18.00
SIDEBOARDS in Empire oak, golden finish, top 18x46, mirror 18x30.....\$22.50
SIDEBOARDS, in ash, golden finish, top 21x48, glass 18x30.....\$25.00

SIDEBOARDS, in solid oak, golden finish, top 21x48, mirror 16x28.....\$30.00
SIDEBOARDS in solid quarter cut oak, golden finish, top 21x52, mirror 18x30. Price.....\$45.00
SIDEBOARDS in solid quarter cut oak, golden finish, top 19x48, mirror 16x28. Price.....\$40.00

Highest Quality Buffets in Beautiful Designs

BUFFETS, solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish, tops 20x44, glass 10x36, 2 small drawers and 1 large drawer, 2 cupboards with copper trimmings.....\$42.00
BUFFETS, solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish, top 19x44, glass 11x32, 2 small drawers, 2 cupboards, 1 large drawer, fancy shape mirror.....\$45.00
BUFFETS, solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish, top 20x48, glass 12x40, long square cornered mirror, 1 small drawer and 1 large, a glass cupboard on each side, 1 large cupboard in centre, with wooden handles in Early English finish.....\$42.00
BUFFETS, solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish, top 22x48, glass 9x40, 2 good sized drawers and 1 large, 1 cupboard, with fancy glass doors.....\$47.50
BUFFETS in fumed oak, 20x48 top, glass 10x36, also in golden oak, top 20x44, glass 10x36, oval shape mirror, 2 small drawers and 2 large cupboards, with carved panel in centre, and 1 large drawer below.....\$42.00

Handsome Dining Room Chairs

Golden oak, cane seat, \$4.50, \$4, \$3 \$2.50
Golden oak, upholstered in leather, any shade.....\$4.00
Golden oak, upholstered in leather, any shade.....\$6.00
With Arm Chair to match.....\$9.00
Golden oak, upholstered in leather, any shade.....\$7.00
With Arm Chair to match.....\$10.00
Early English, upholstered in leather. Price.....\$4.00
With Arm Chair to match.....\$5.50

Early English, upholstered in leather. Price.....\$4.75
With Arm Chair to match.....\$7.50
Early English, upholstered in leather. Price.....\$6.00
With Arm Chair to match.....\$9.00
Early English, upholstered in leather. Price.....\$7.00
With Arm Chair to match.....\$10.00
Golden oak, upholstered in leather, any shade.....\$9.00
With Arm Chair to match.....\$12.00
Quarter cut golden oak, \$24, \$20, \$18, \$16

The Very Latest in Dinner Wagons

DINNER WAGON, solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish, 15x37, drawer on top and 2 broad shelves with bright copper trimmings.....\$12.50
DINNER WAGON, solid quarter cut oak, golden finish.....\$20.00
DINNER WAGON, mahogany.....\$22.50

DINNER WAGON, solid quarter cut oak, golden finish.....\$18.00
DINNER WAGON, solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish.....\$35.00
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